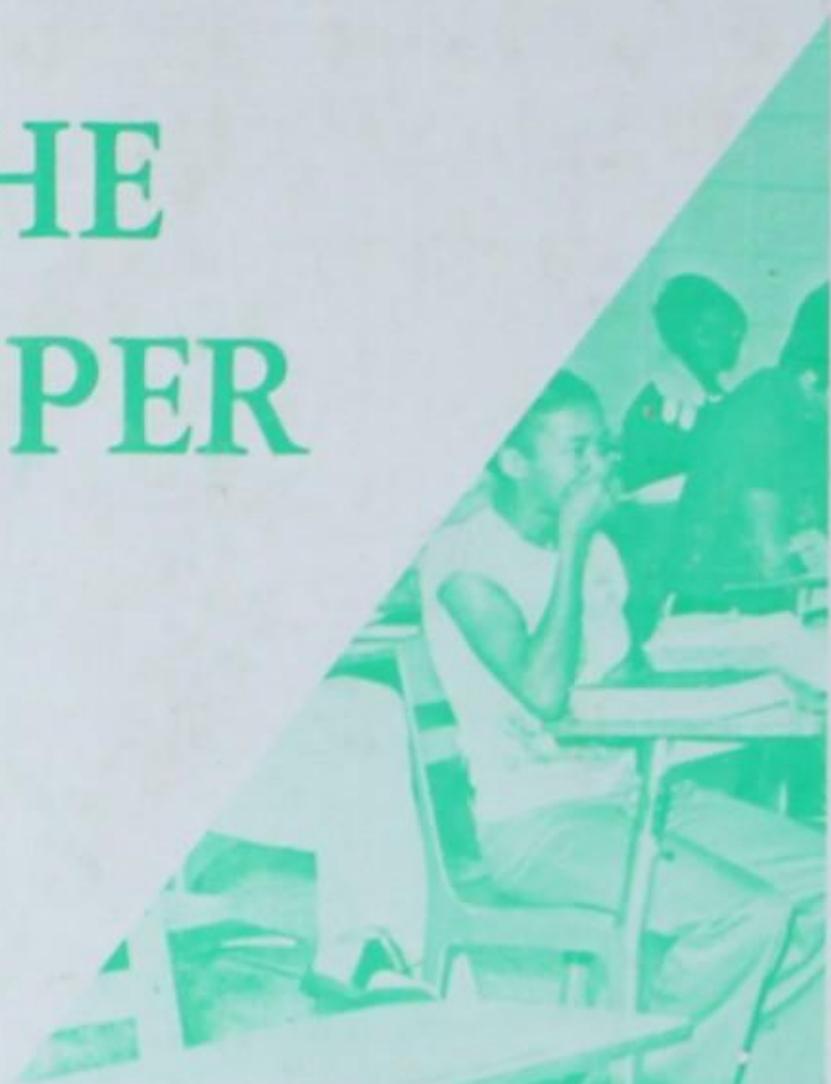


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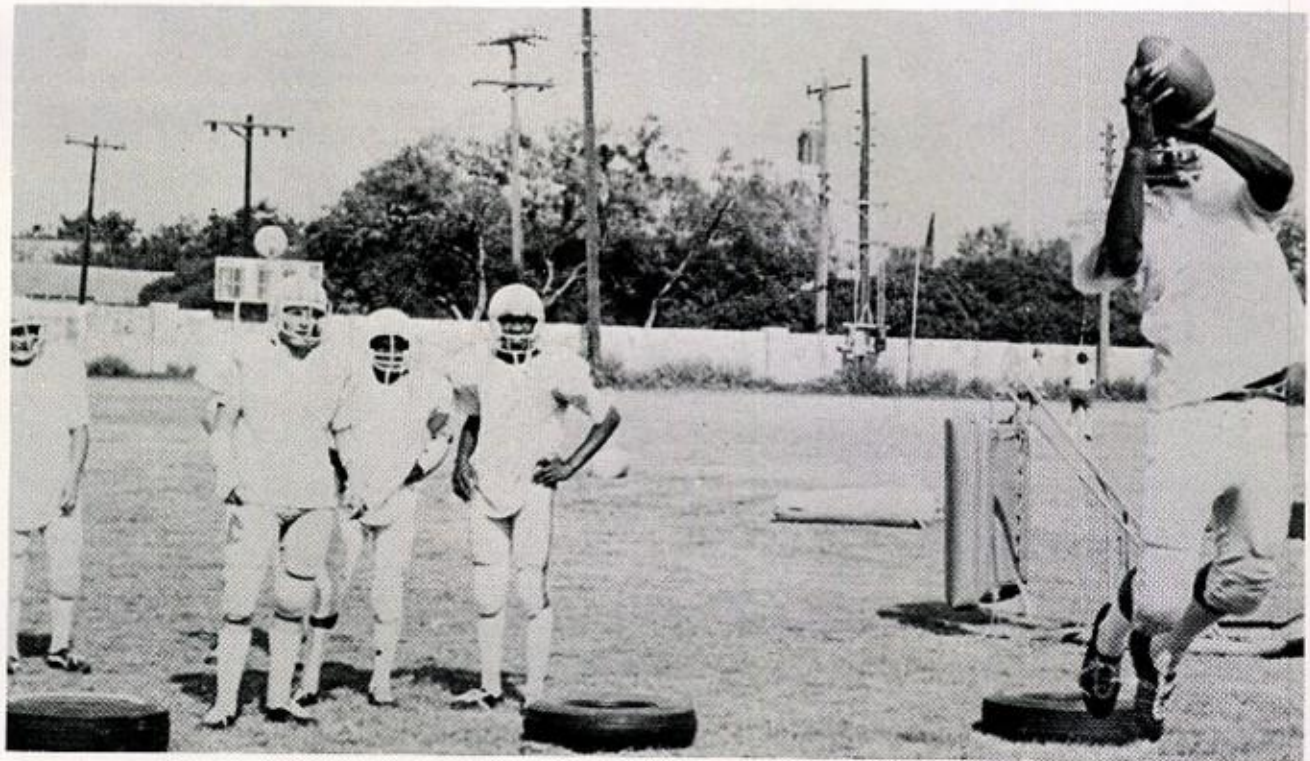
PARTICIPATION concerns taking part and sharing in the activities around us. It means carrying our share of the load—in the classroom, on the athletic field, in the family, in the church of our choice, and in the community. The ideal Piper who **PARTICIPATES** proposes new ideas and makes constructive suggestions. This person helps promote school activities and initiates encouragement in defeat as well as in accomplishment. The proud Piper is willing to render cheerfully and enthusiastically any service to his school or community that will lead to a better world.

Ralph Waldo Emerson once said, "We (Americans) will walk on our own feet; we will work with our own hands; we will speak our own minds." This historic statement states the theme and attitude of the Piper staff of 1977. We have endeavored to reiterate the spirit that has prevailed throughout our heritage.

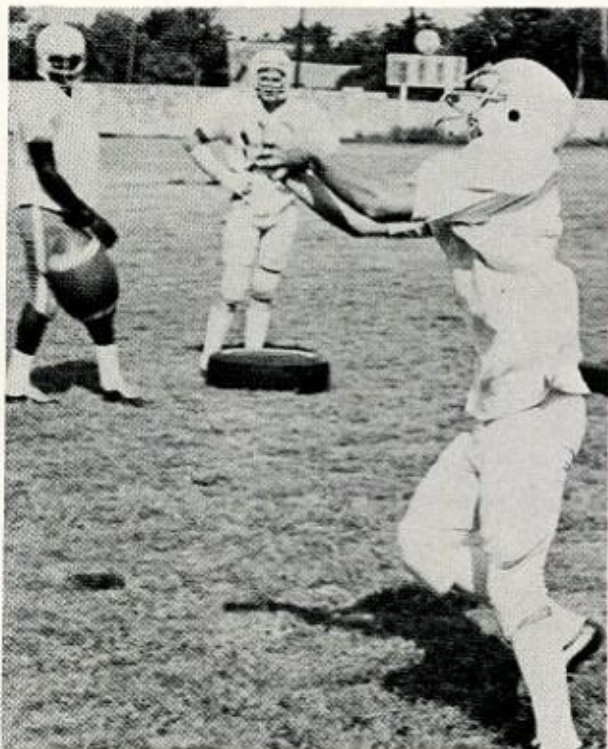
Football Season Festivities



Coach Andy Lowe completed his first full year at HHS.



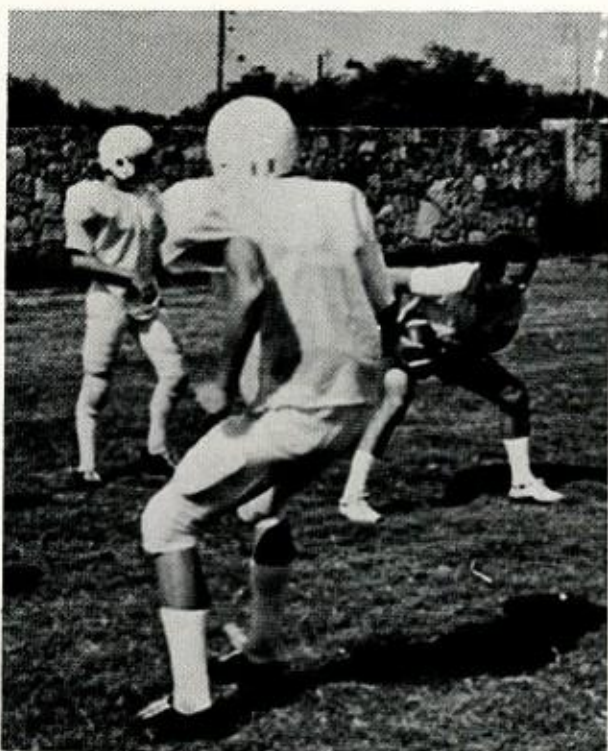
Two-a-day workouts begin in the summer heat of August.



Nearly 60 athletes play football at HHS.



Students and players alike enjoy pep rallies outside before autumn reaches its peak.



Coach Garry Bartee prepares the secondary.

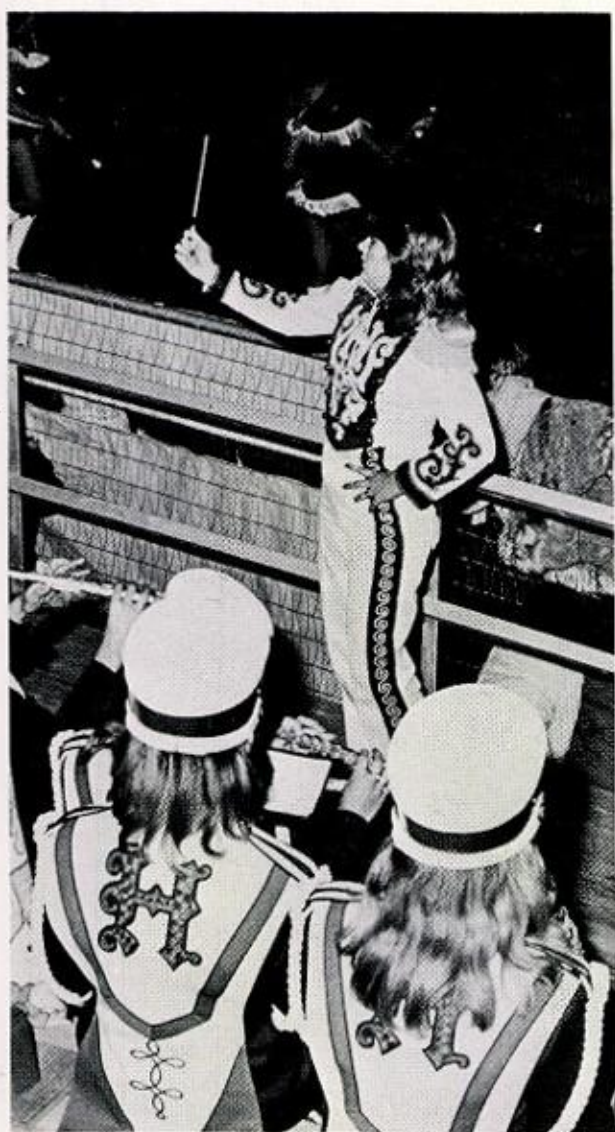


Hours of practice and effort result in spirited pep rallies and creative run-through signs.

Envelop Everyone At HHS



The twirlers and drum major join the cheerleaders in the "Frankenstein" during the Pipers' win over Stamford.



Lisa leads the band in a rousing, "spirit-building" piece.



Quarterback Paul Reynolds seldom found the going rough, as Hamlin knocked off Knox City.

Piper Participation Encompasses



The band puts in hours of practice to provide the rousing music needed at successful pep rallies.



Delbert Thompson epitomizes Piper football as he scores against Knox City.



All HHS students take part in the democratic process as they function as classes to elect officers and favorites, plan banquets and choose money-making projects; as the Senior Class does above.

A Plethora of Popular Pursuits



The Marching Green lends excitement, leadership in vocal support, and colorful halftime shows to the football games.



Coach Grissom was awarded the Stamford game ball to symbolize his first win at the Hamlin helm.



The 10-foot Pied Piper, placed at the south entrance of the city as part of a Bicentennial project, a proposed roadside park, was destroyed July 18. The project of 52 work days was constructed of two-inch pipe, steel rods, wire lath, cement and plaster. Rev. and Mrs. Joe Norton headed a score of volunteers in the construction of the mascot.

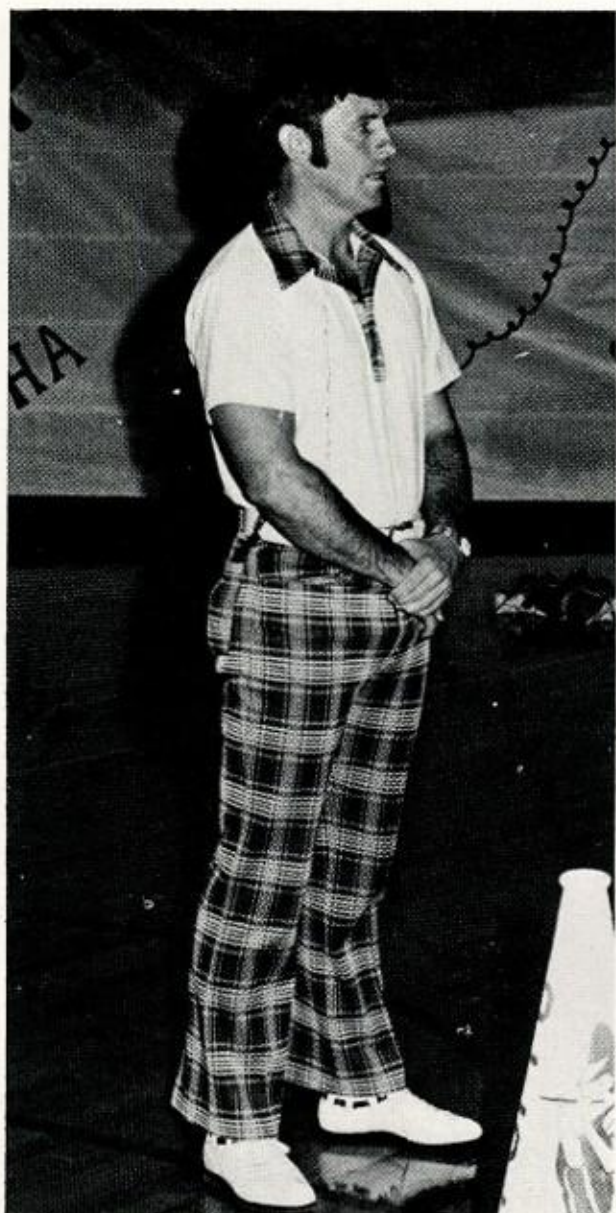
EVERYONE PULLS TOGETHER



The freshman float adds beauty to the Homecoming Parade.



Lisa gives instructions to the band for a good halftime show.



Coach Grissom raises spirits before the Homecoming Game.

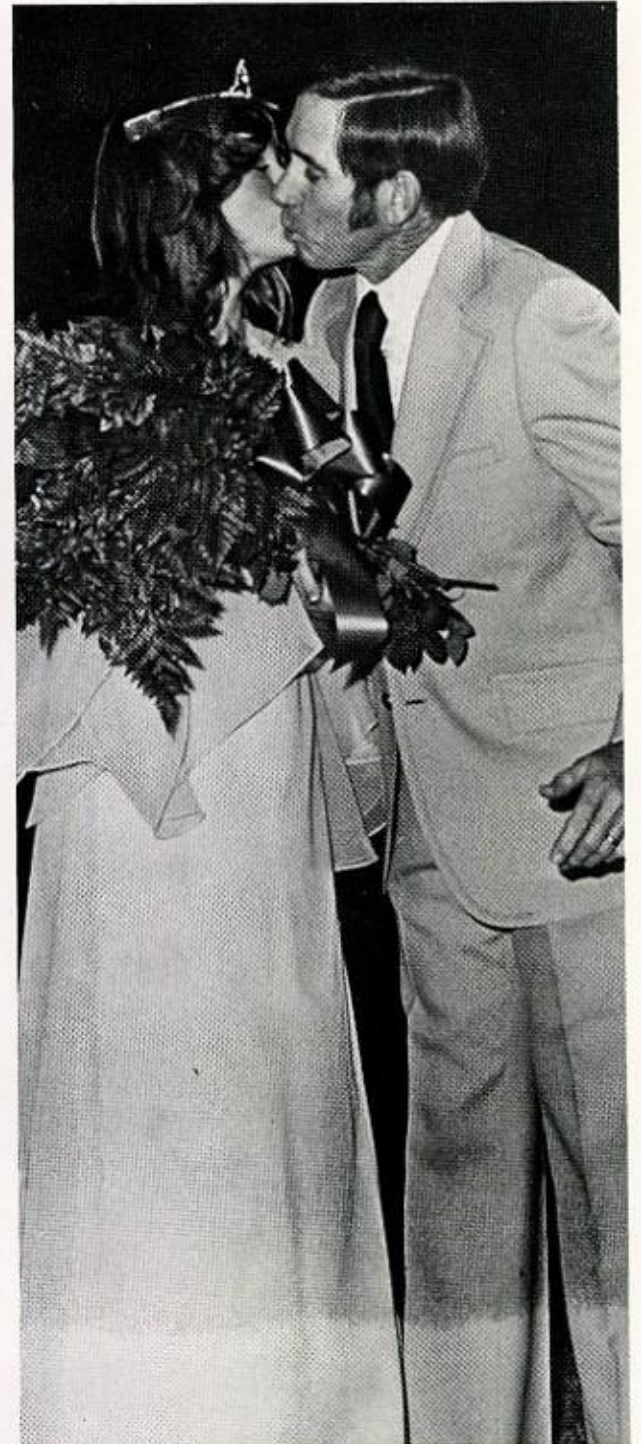


The Junior Float was one of many attractions of the Homecoming Parade.

For a Successful Homecoming



The Sophomore Float surprises everyone with their "hard luck" float.



Elise receives a warm congratulation kiss from her father for being crowned Homecoming Queen.

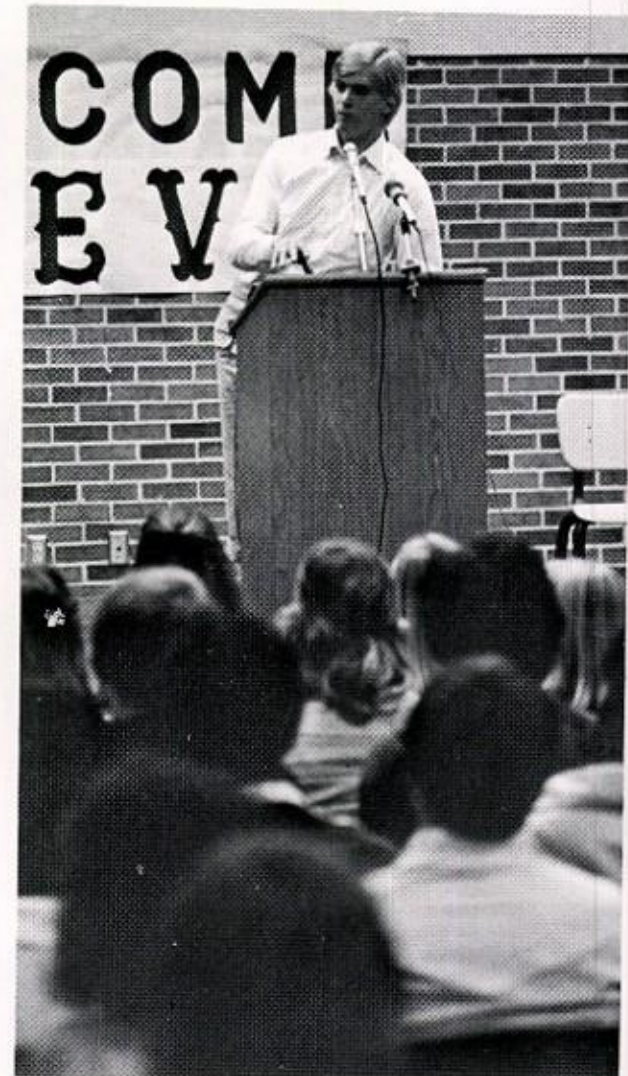
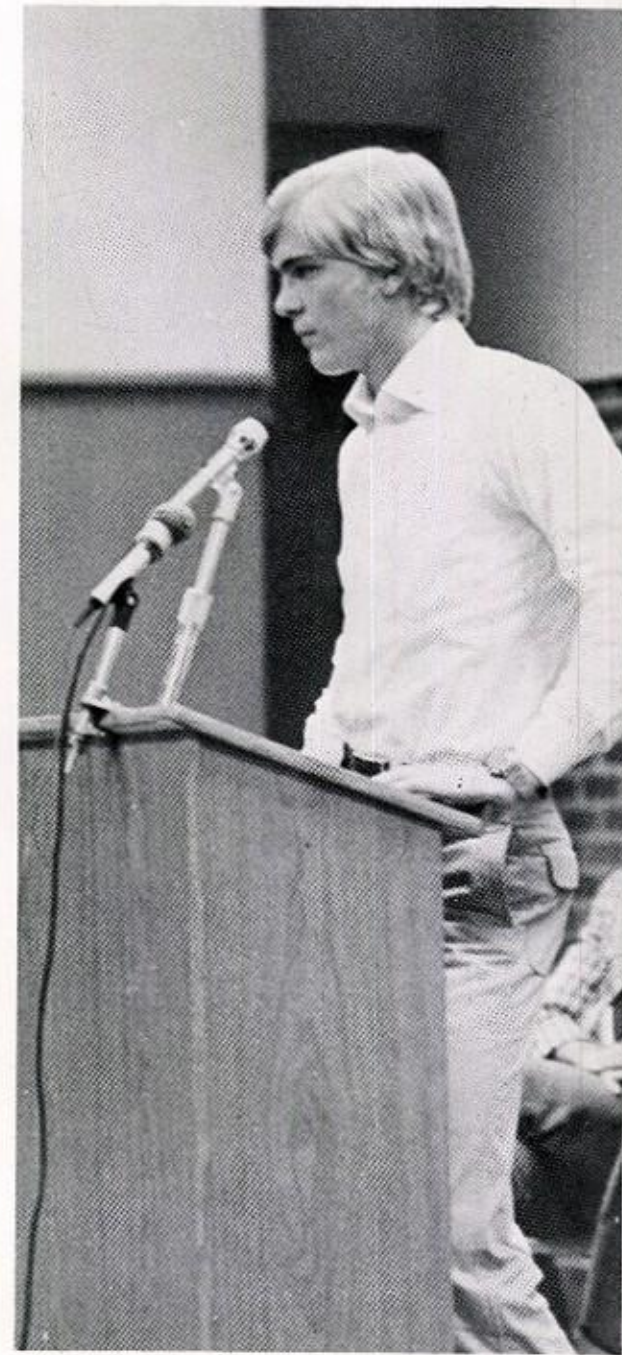


The coaches and the players on the side line watch as the Pipers beat Paducah 27-6 for the Homecoming Game.

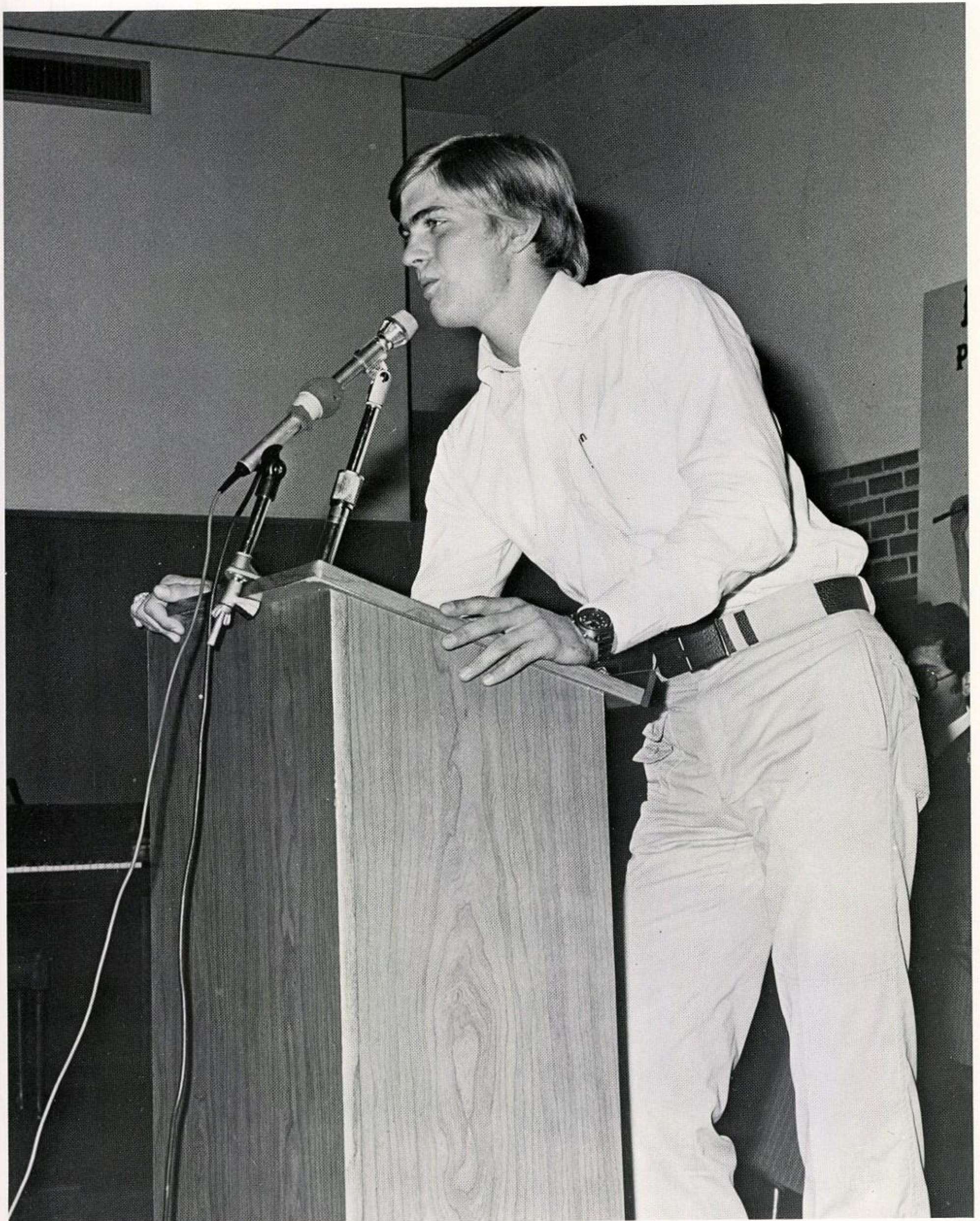
President Ford's Son, Steve,



Steve Ford, son of President and Mrs. Gerald R. Ford, brought the presidential race to focus in Hamlin Oct. 5 with an informal speech and question-answer session in the HHS cafetorium. The civics classes posed questions covering the various campaign issues to the well-informed and plain-speaking, 21-year-old Ford to highlight the 45-minute session. The experience helped enlighten and spur interest in the student body for the upcoming election. The youthful Ford also attended a reception at the First Baptist Church and a luncheon with the Lions and Rotary Clubs during his visit.



Campaigns In Hamlin Oct. 5



Yearbook Staff Dedicates



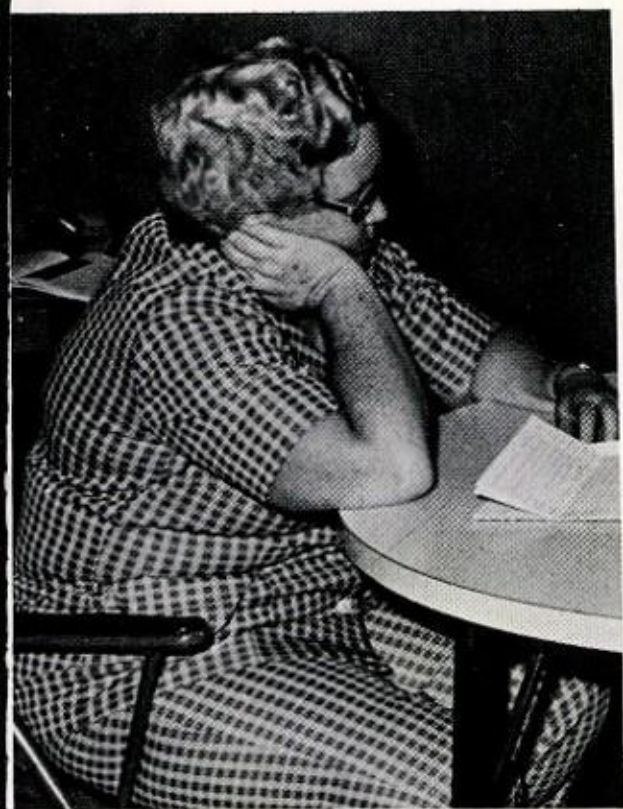
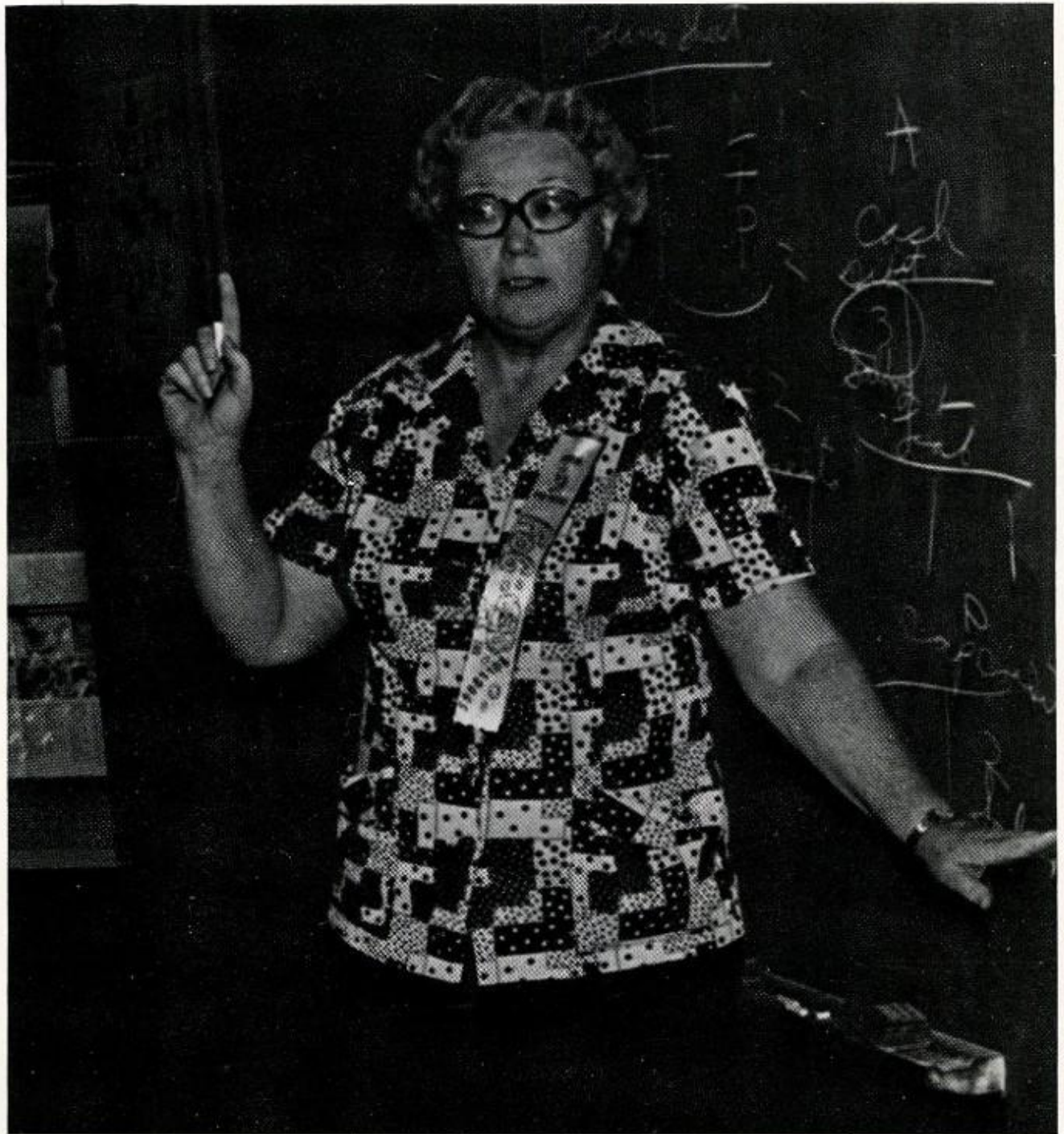
Miss Dora Mitchell

1977 Piper to Miss Mitchell

Typing, bookkeeping, the Junior Class, cheerleading and U. I. L. contests are five emblematic reasons for the choice of Miss Dora Mitchell as 1977 Piper "dedicatee."

Even though the business subjects are her main responsibility, Miss Mitchell's worth is best symbolized by her extra-curricular involvement. Year after year, she sponsors a class, directs the cheerleaders and instructs students in the "art" of U. I. L. competition.

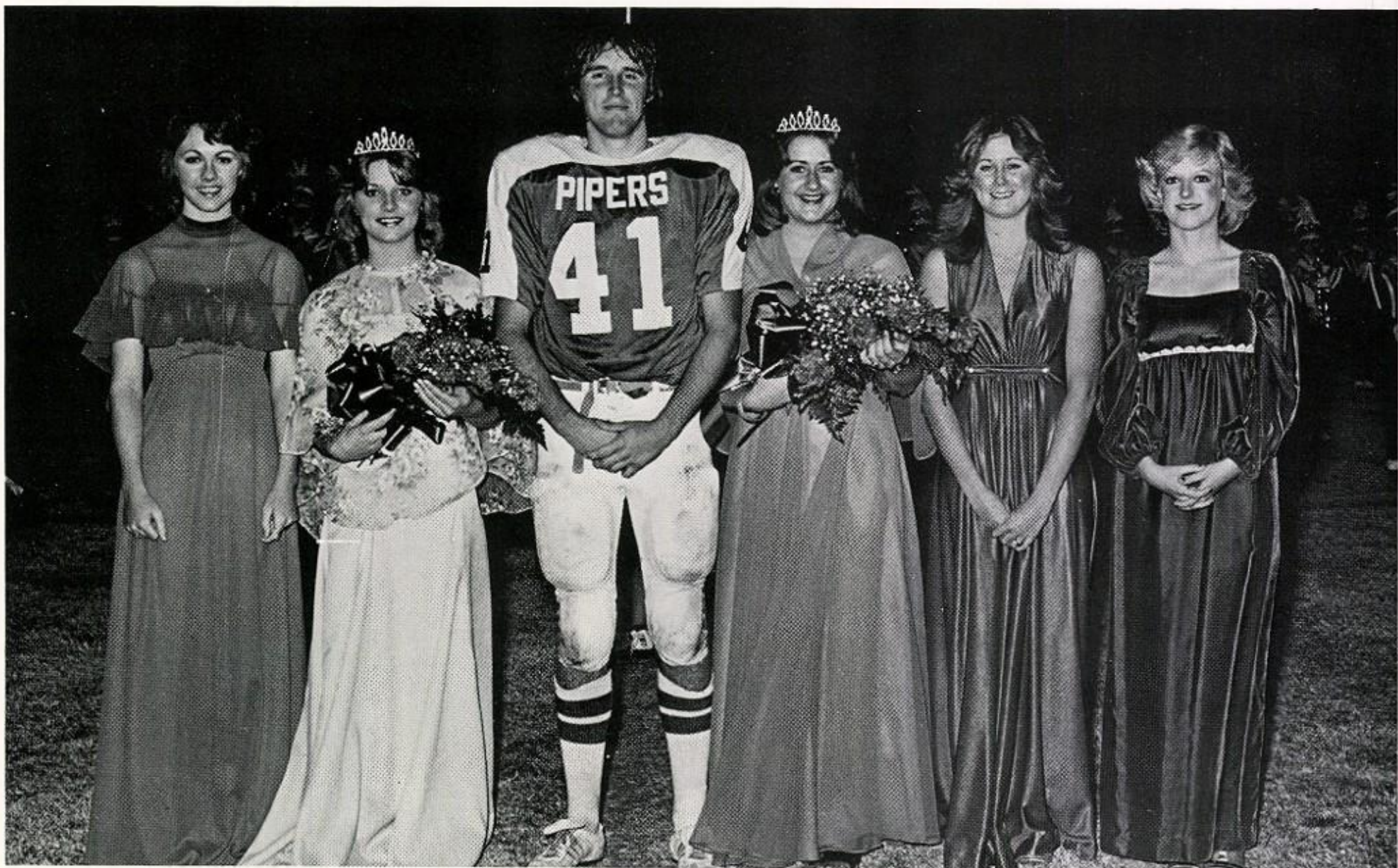
Although "ruffling feathers" as a stern disciplinarian, Miss Mitchell touches all Pipers with a sense of morality, judgment and direction.



Celebrities Elected at HHS



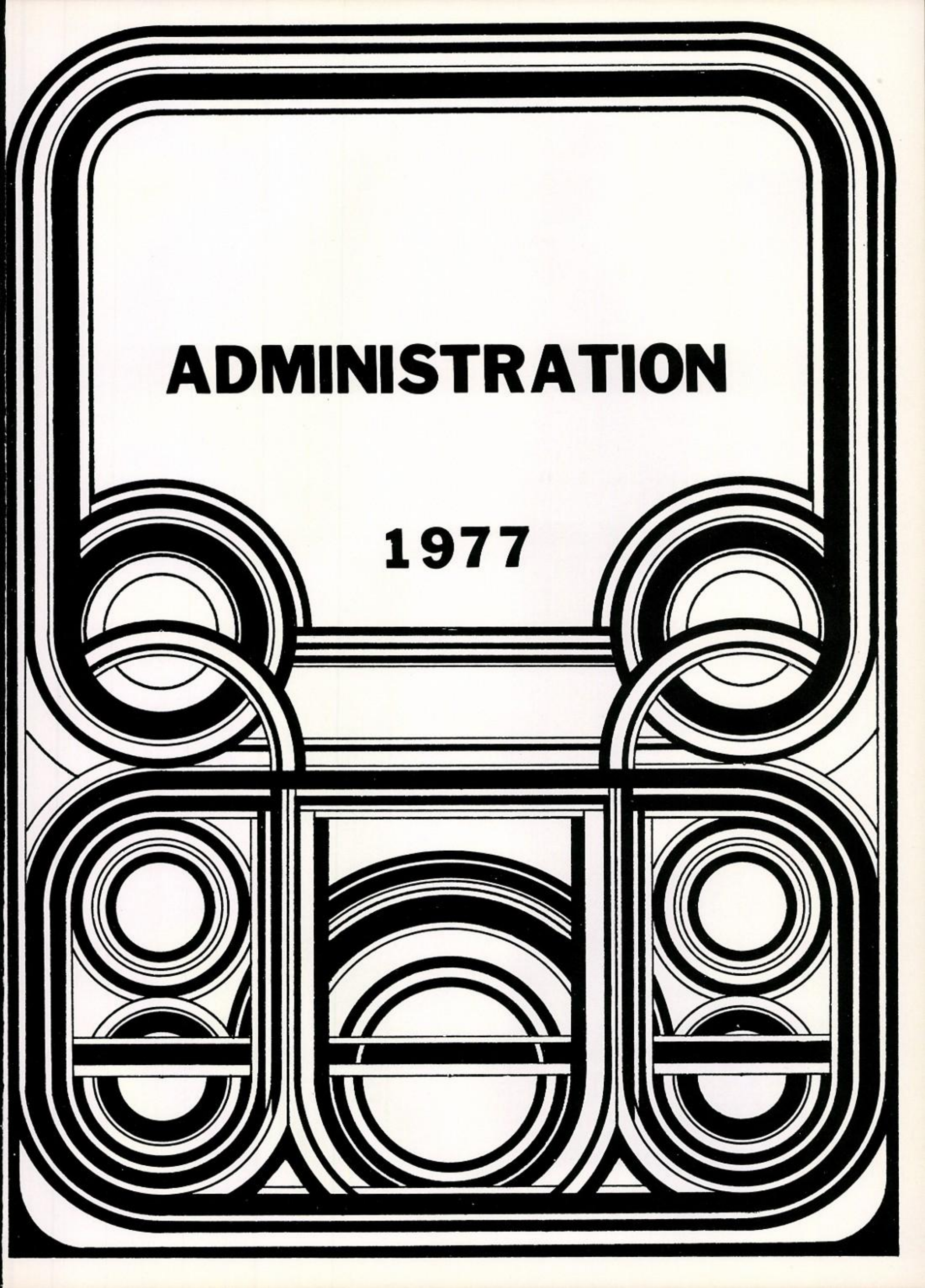
Homecoming nominees and their fathers are Pam Absher and Mr. Charles Absher, Barbara Hooper and Mr. W. J. Hooper, Elise Kelley and Mr. Parker Kelley and DeDe Young and Mr. Gerald Young. Elise was crowned Homecoming Queen, while Minnie Barnett Willingham, escorted by Sam Mack Hodges, was named Coming Home Queen.



Cheryl Baker was honored as Football Sweetheart and Lisa Howard Band Sweetheart at the Crowell game Nov. 5. Other nominees were Jan Ford, football and band; Elise Kelley, football and band; and DeDe Young, band.

ADMINISTRATION

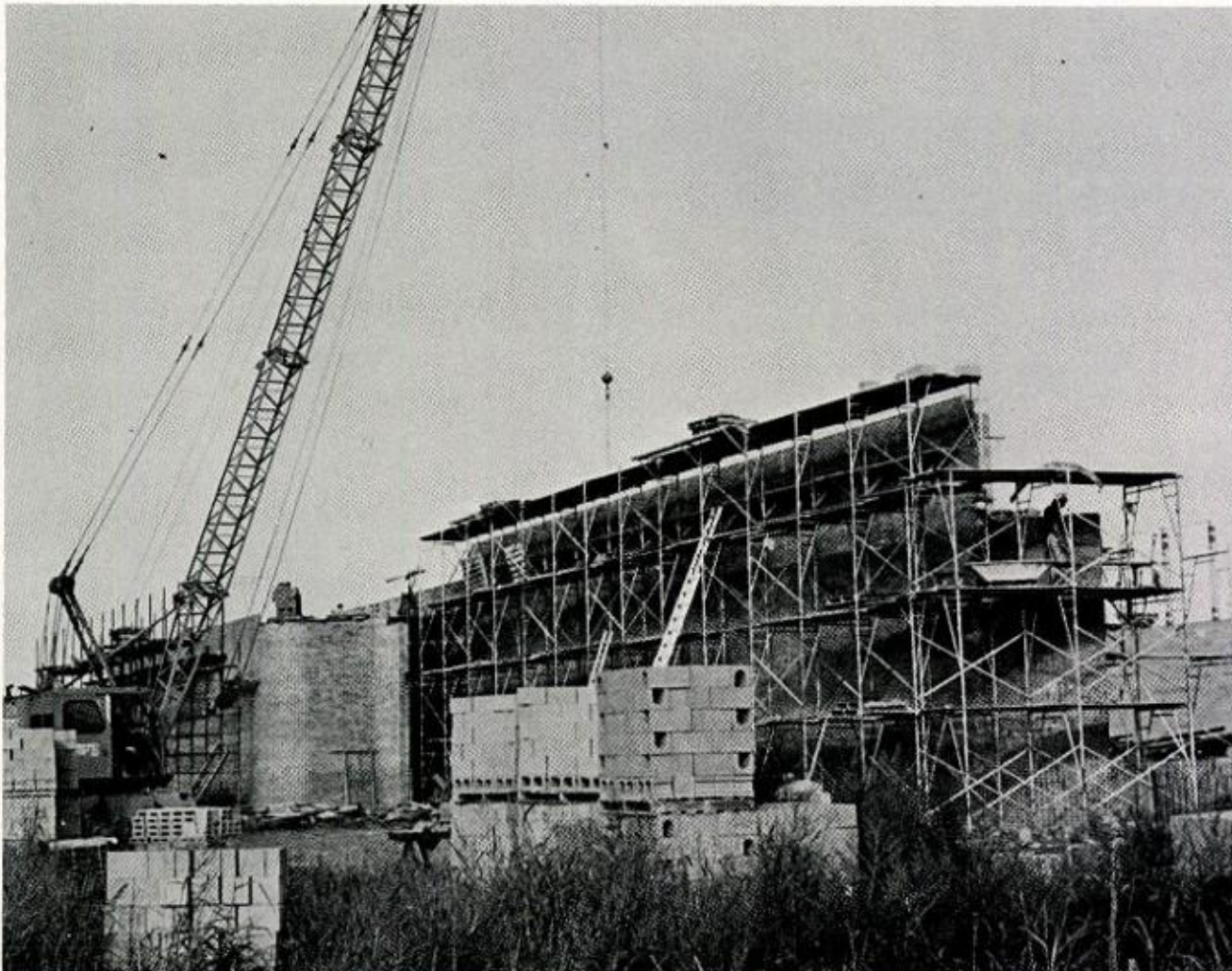
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Hamlin ISD School Board



Those who set administrative, faculty and student guidelines are Hamlin School Board members seated left to right: Lewis Madden, President W. T. Johnson, Superintendent Bob Hawes and Raymond Scifres. Standing are Sam Mack Hodges, James Rodgers, Jackie Williams and Cecil Sellers.



The new middle school and auditorium, built with \$1.25 million approved by the people's vote in 1975, were completed during the 1976-77 school year.

With a central learning center (library), coordinated vocational department and gymnasium, the new middle school became inhabited by students and faculty in February.

The auditorium and adjoining band hall were finished soon after.



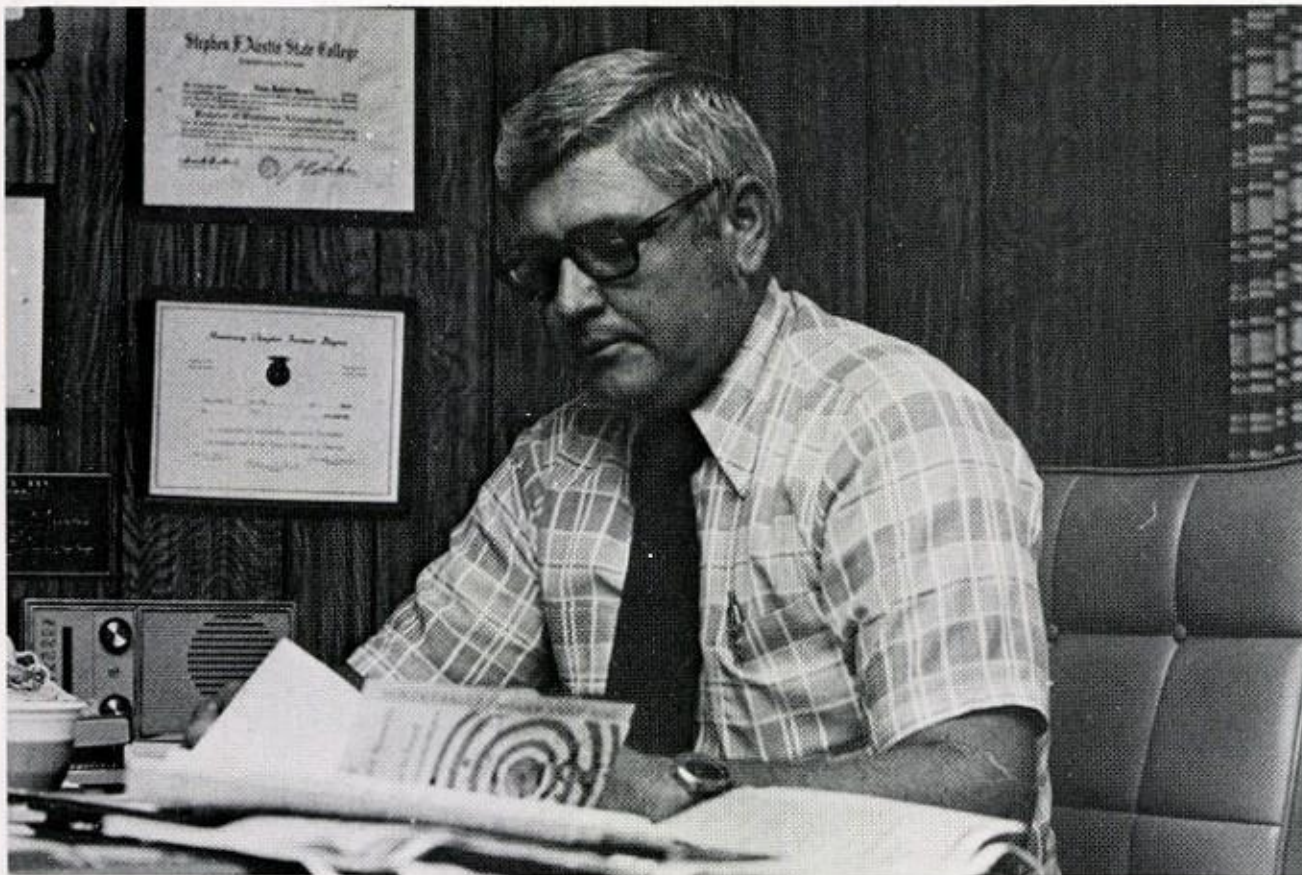
Mr. Bob Hawes
Superintendent



Mr. B. V. Newberry
Principal



Mr. Marvin Carlton
Administrative Assistant



Mr. Hawes provides financial, guidance and coordinating leadership for Hamlin ISD.



Mr. Carlton goes over the books as he anticipates his move into the new Middle School.



Mr. Newberry "hammers" across ideas to keep an excellent faculty-student relationship at HHS.



Mrs. Neva Carlton
Superintendent's Office
Secretary

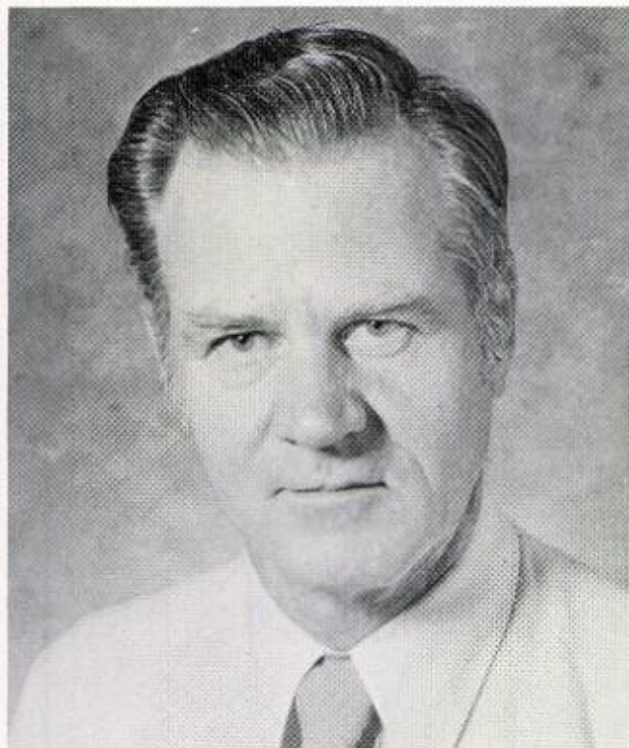


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Office Manager

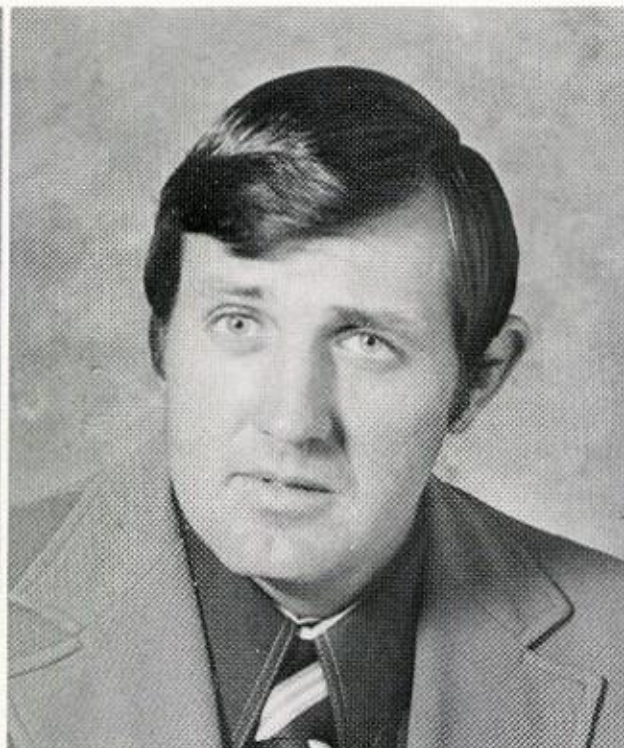


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High School
Secretary

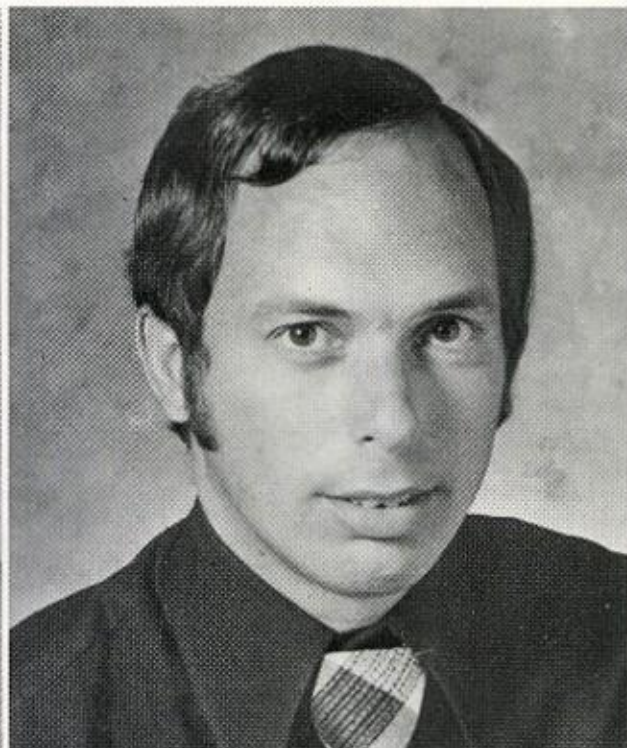




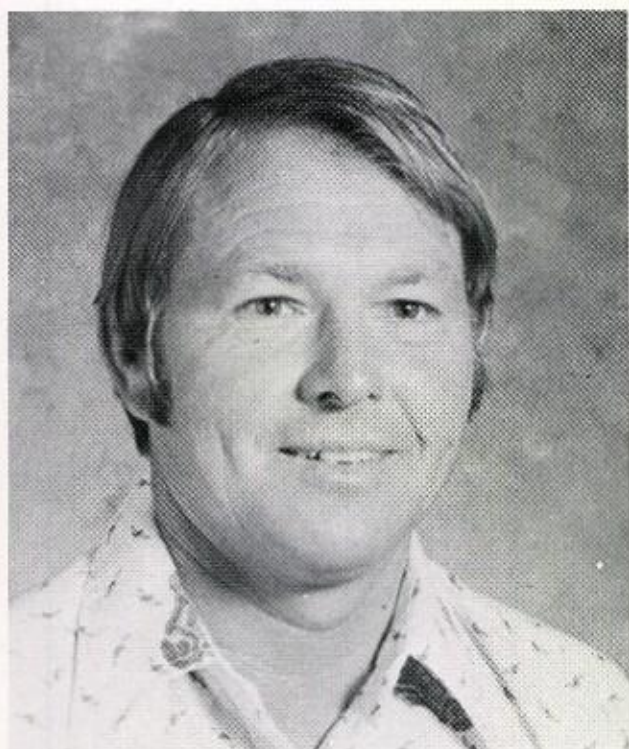
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Athletics, Math



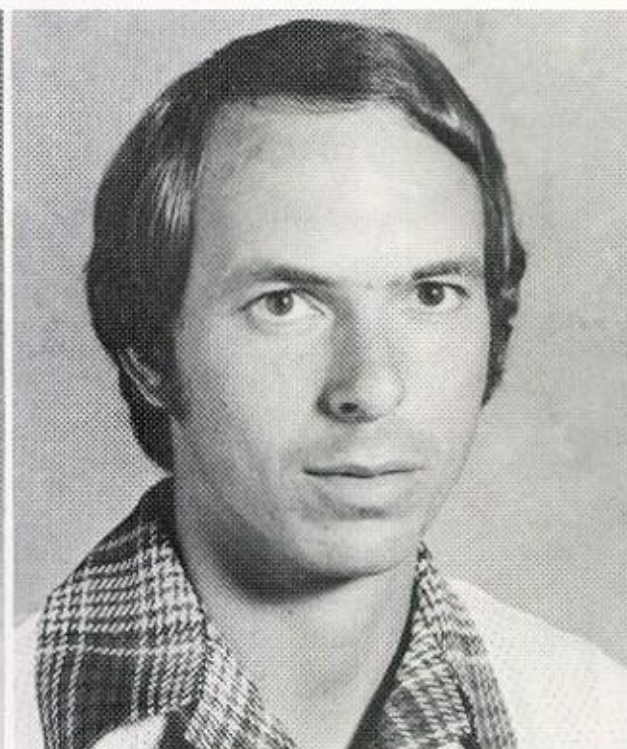
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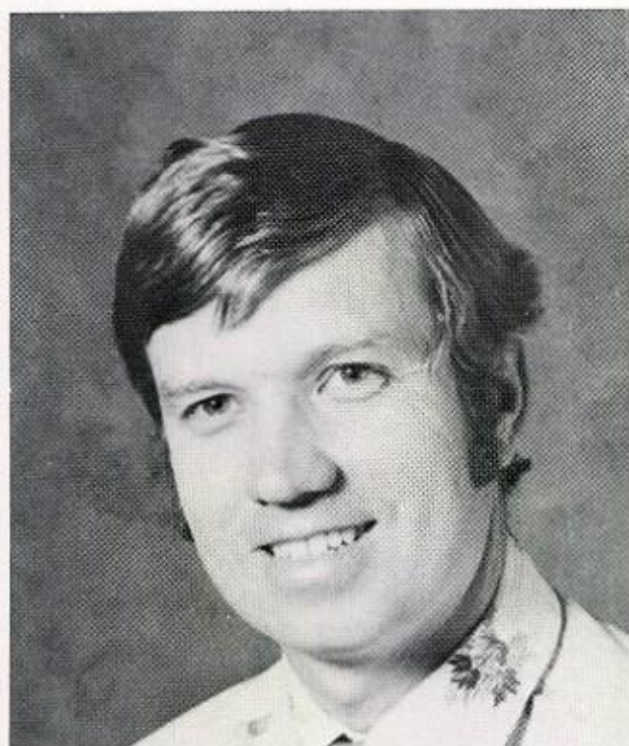
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P. E.



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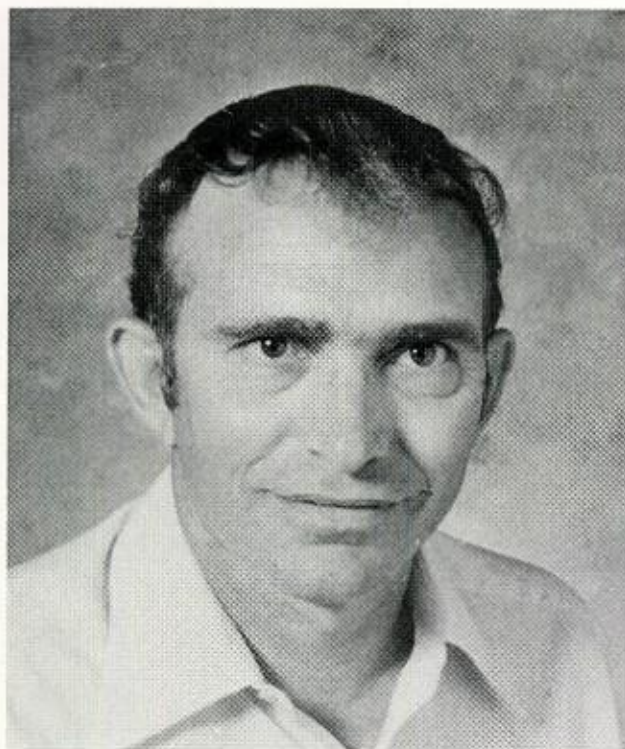
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Mrs. Mary E. Brown
Government, English



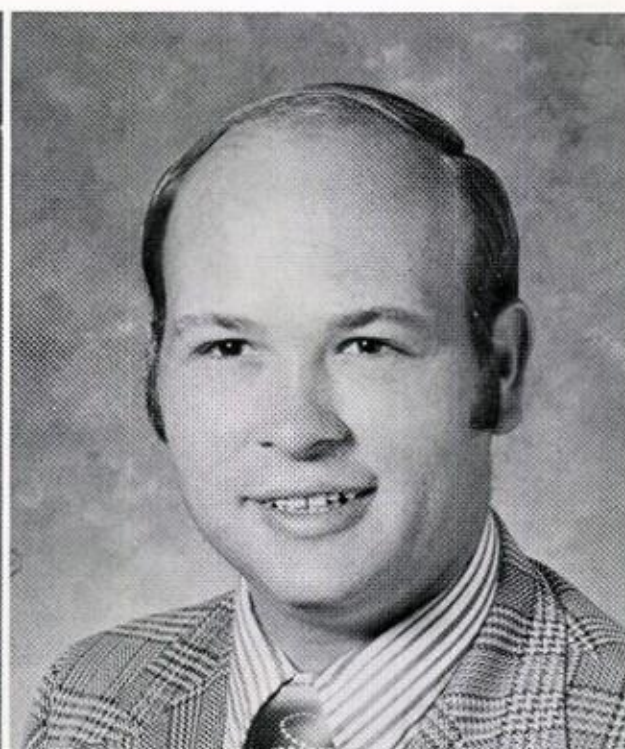
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Mr. Ronald Carter
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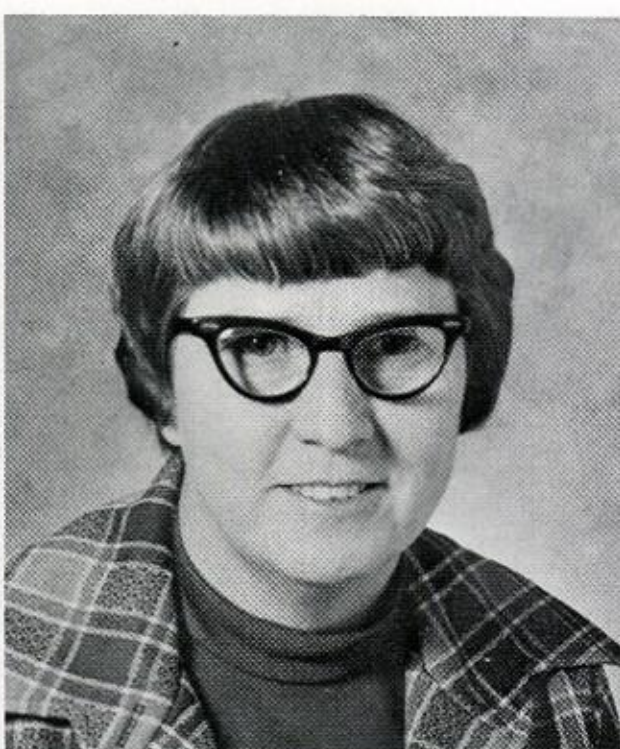
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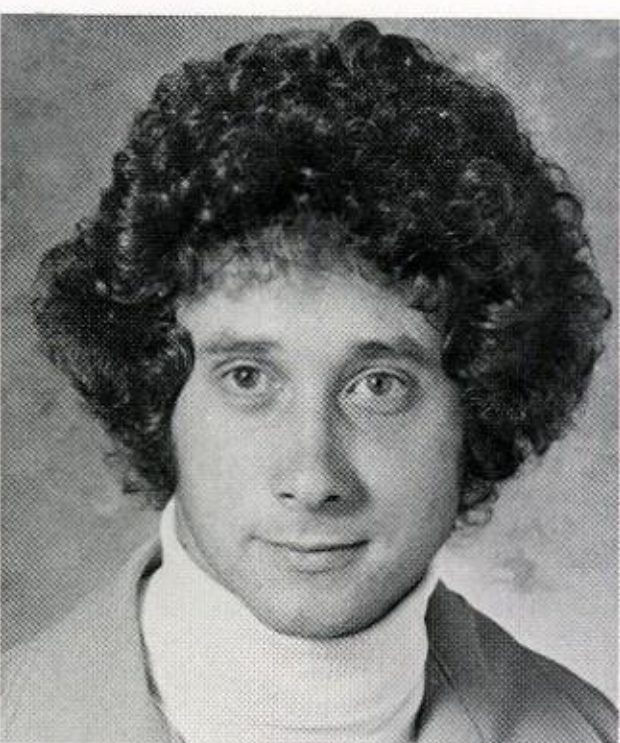
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Miss Mary Esco
Librarian



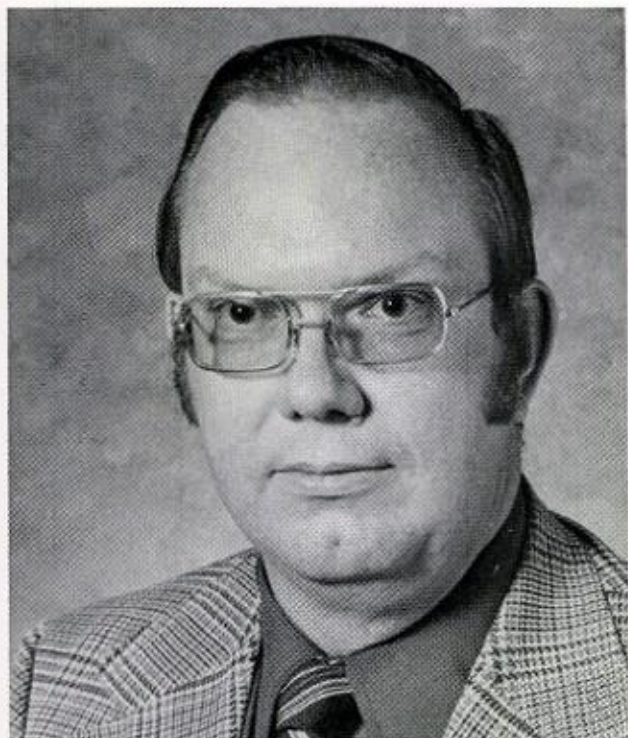
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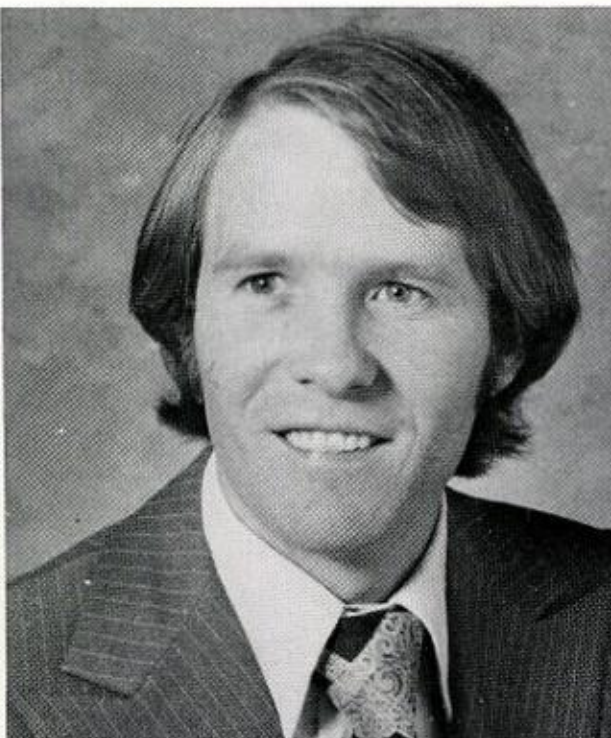
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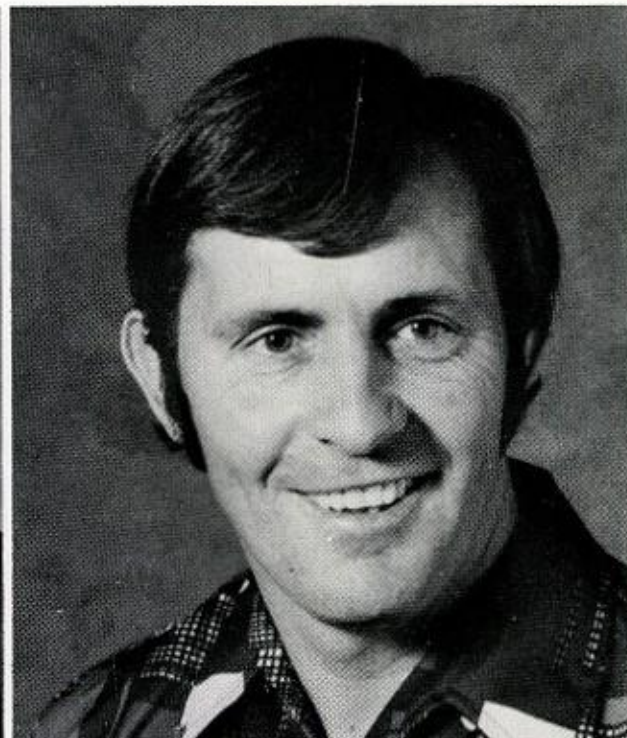
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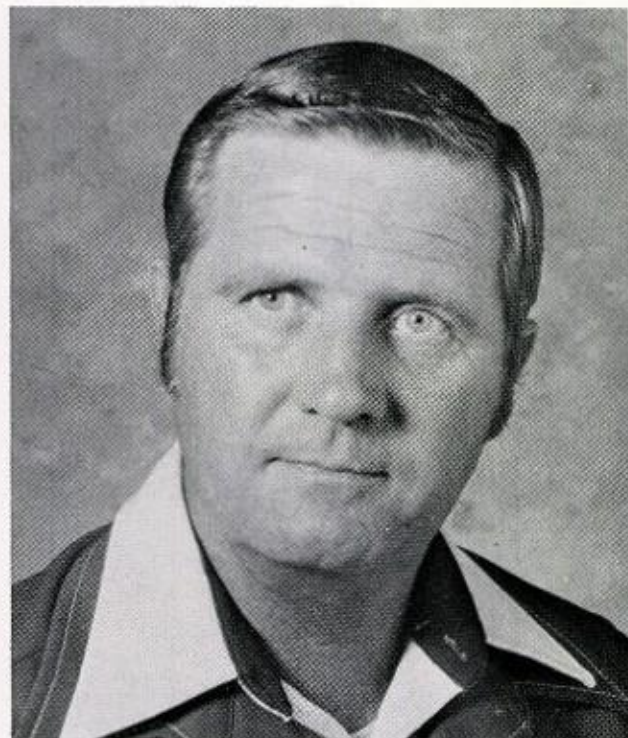
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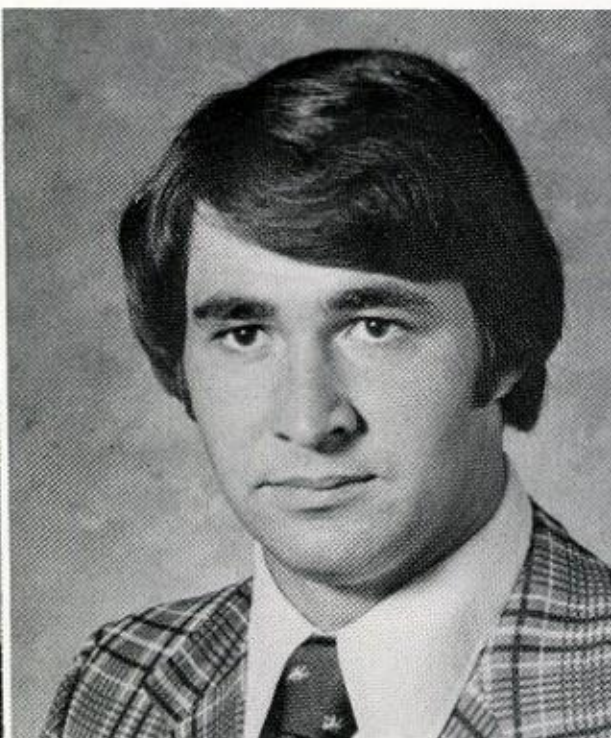
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English, Journalism



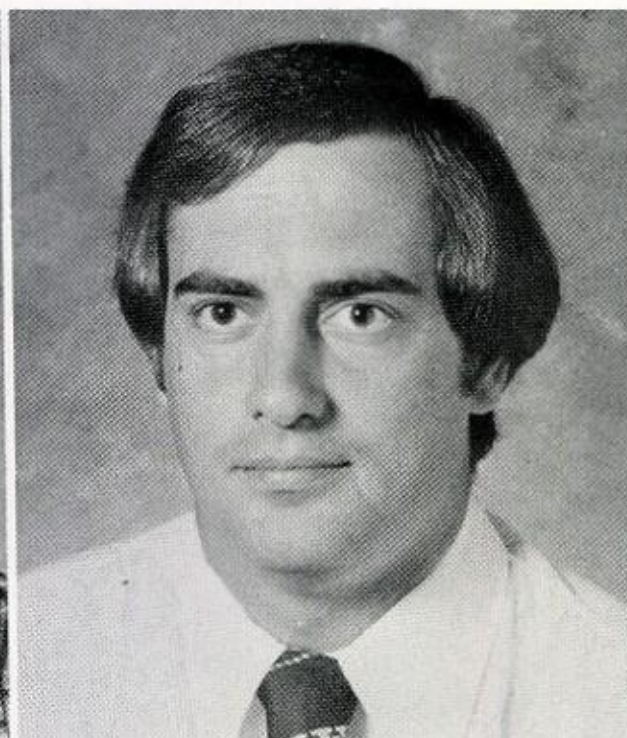
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Head Coach, Speech



Mr. Tim Jones
Band Director



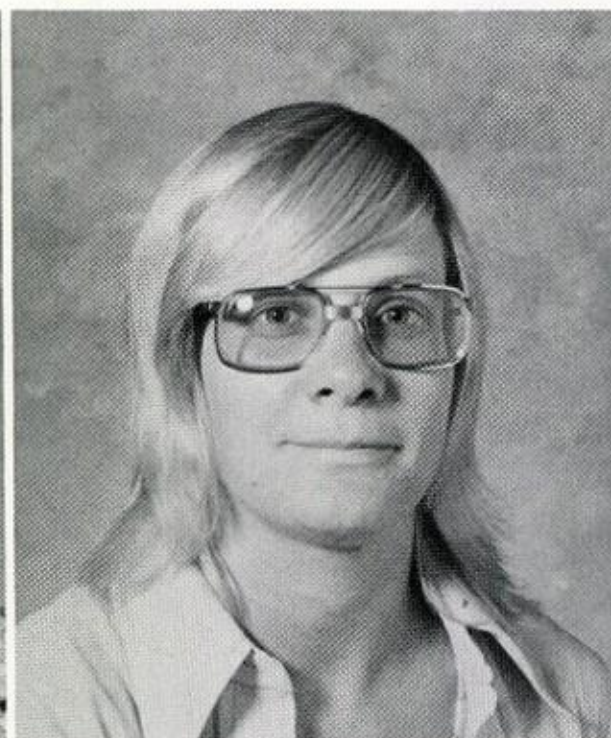
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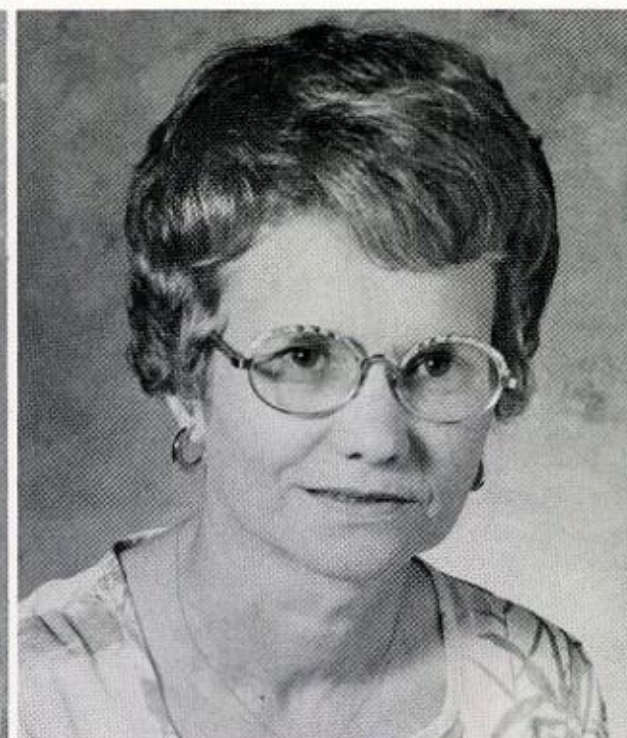
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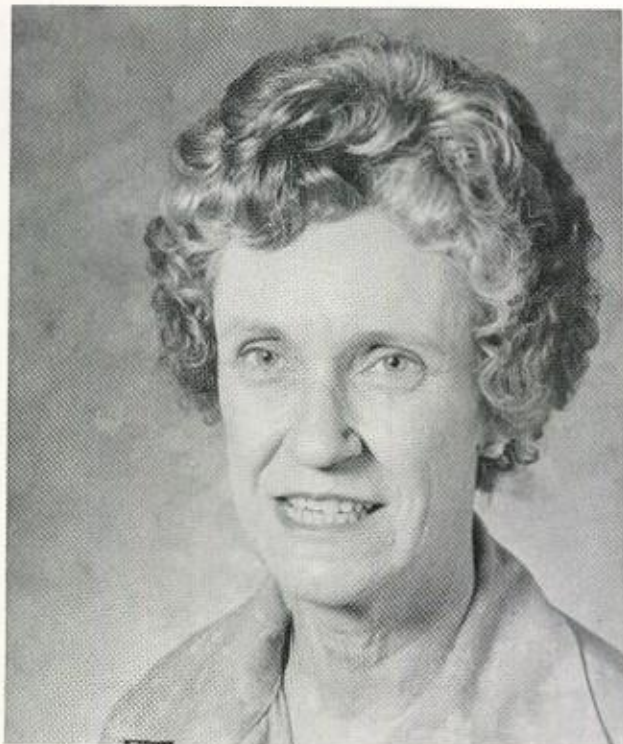
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Typing, Bookkeeping



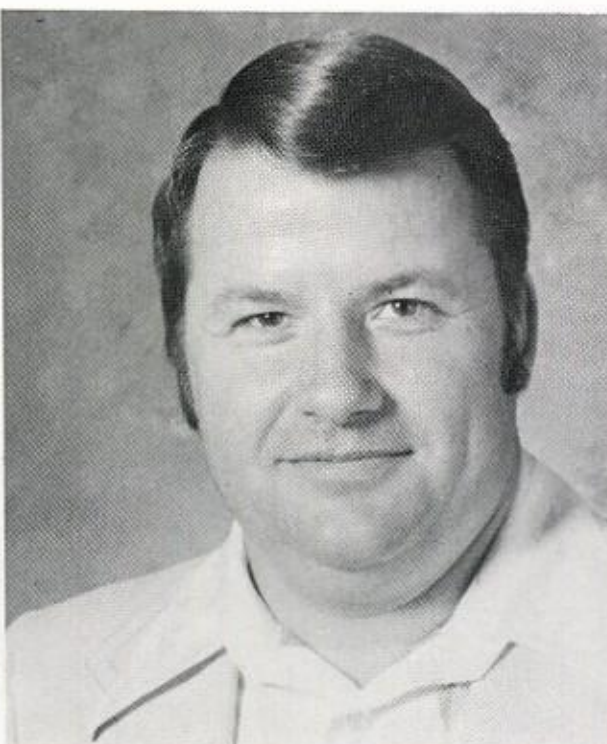
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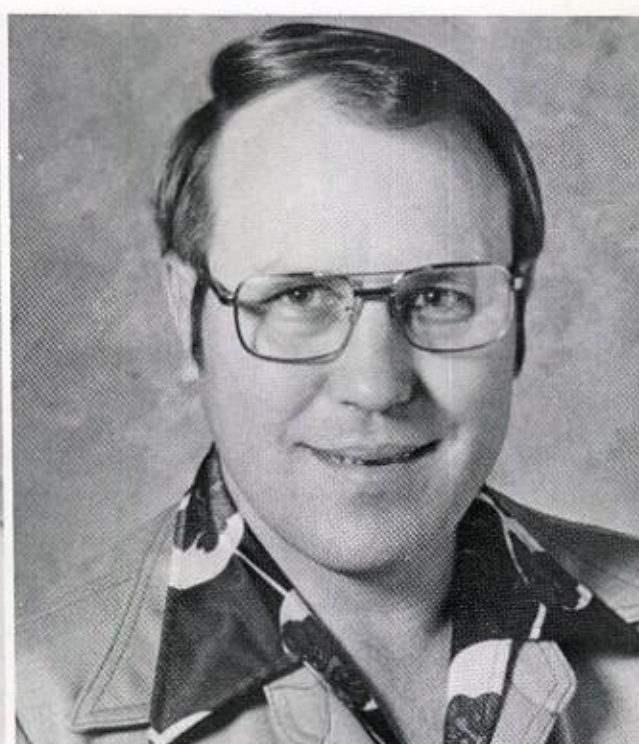
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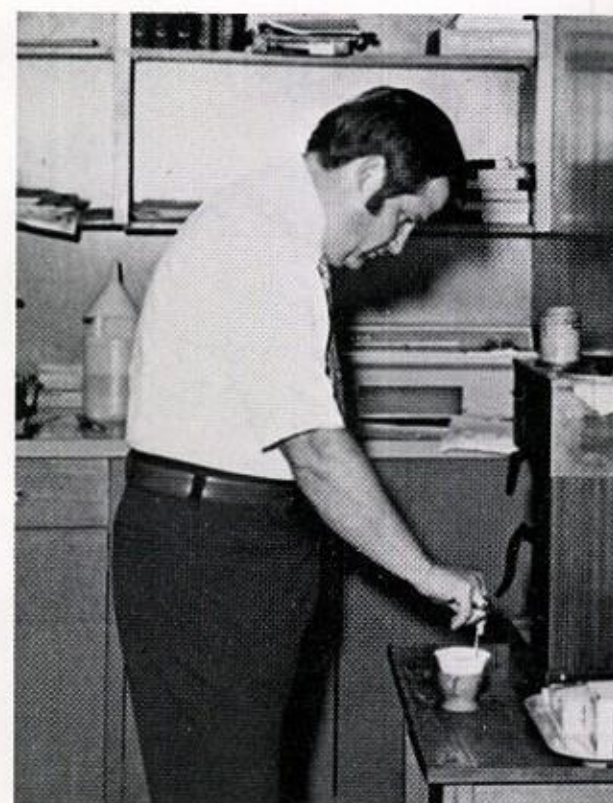
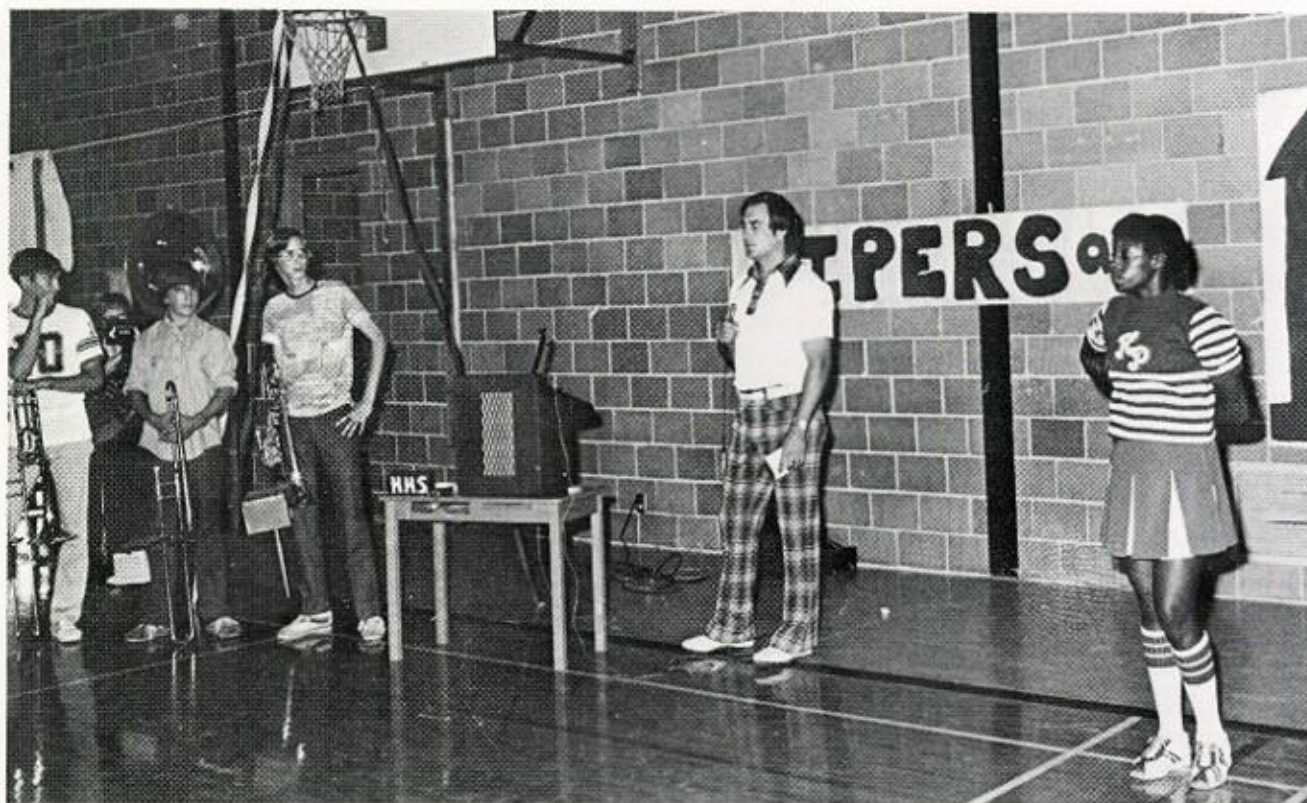
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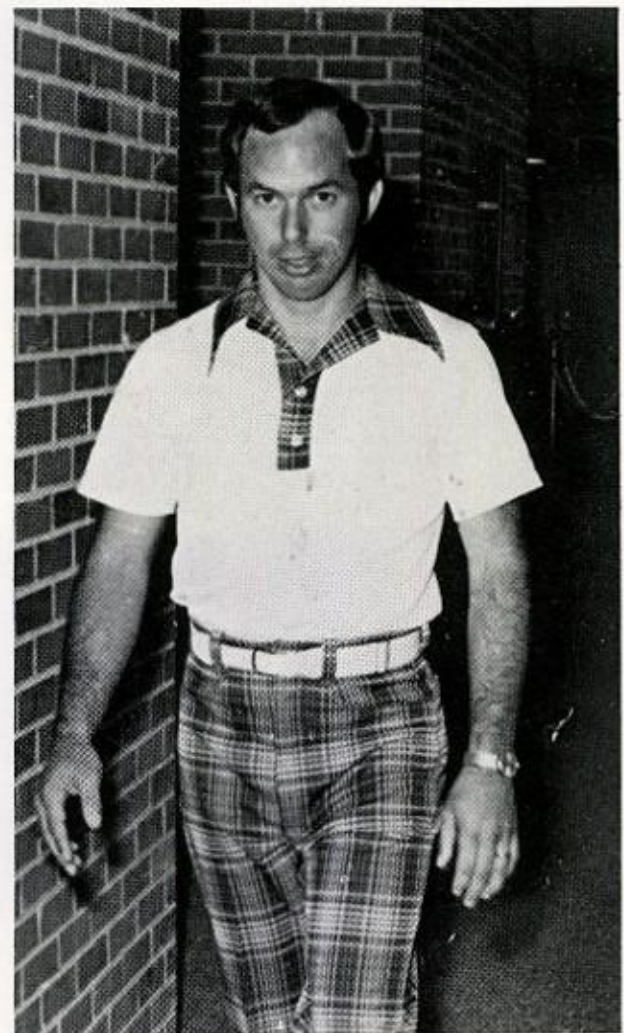
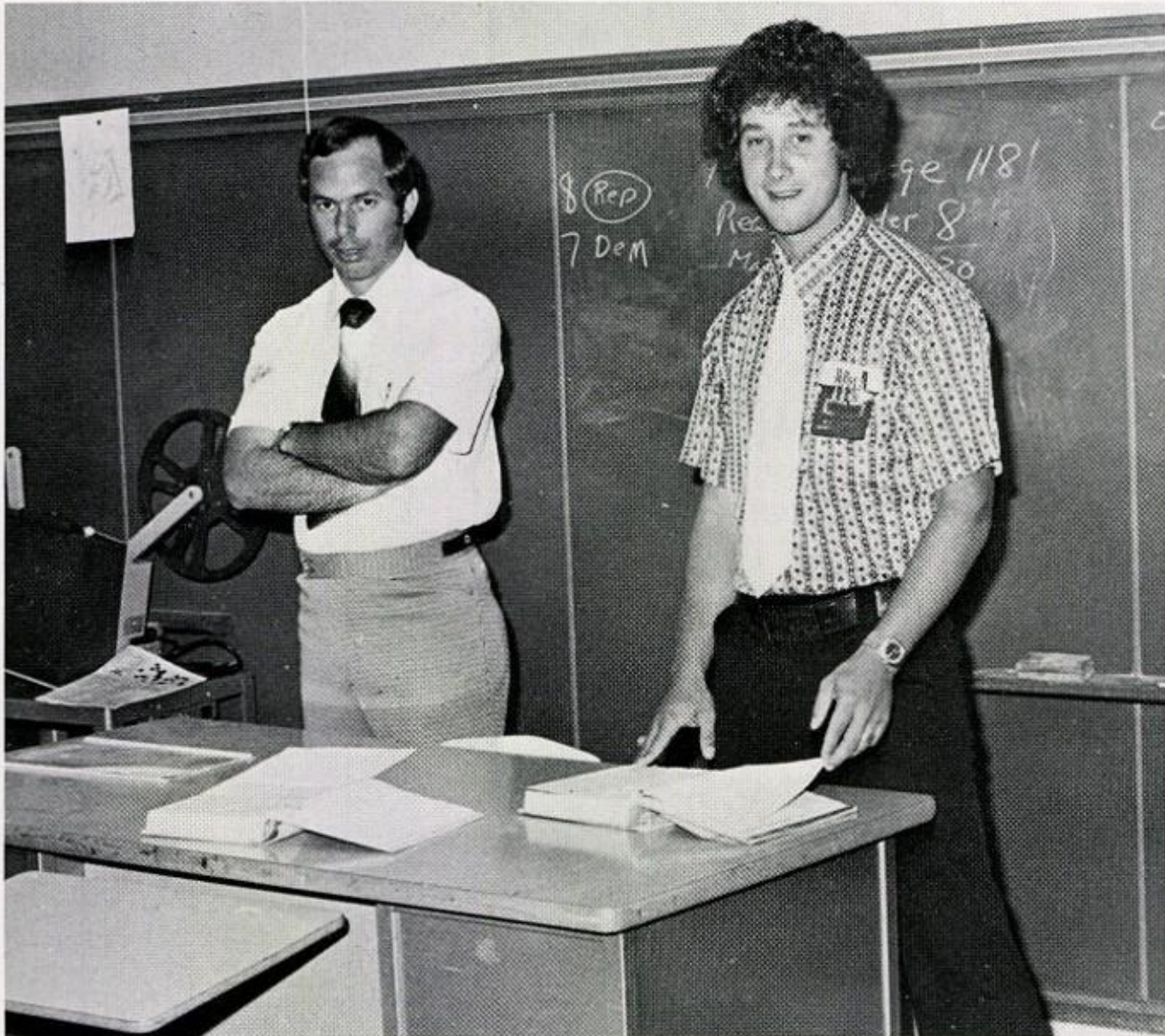


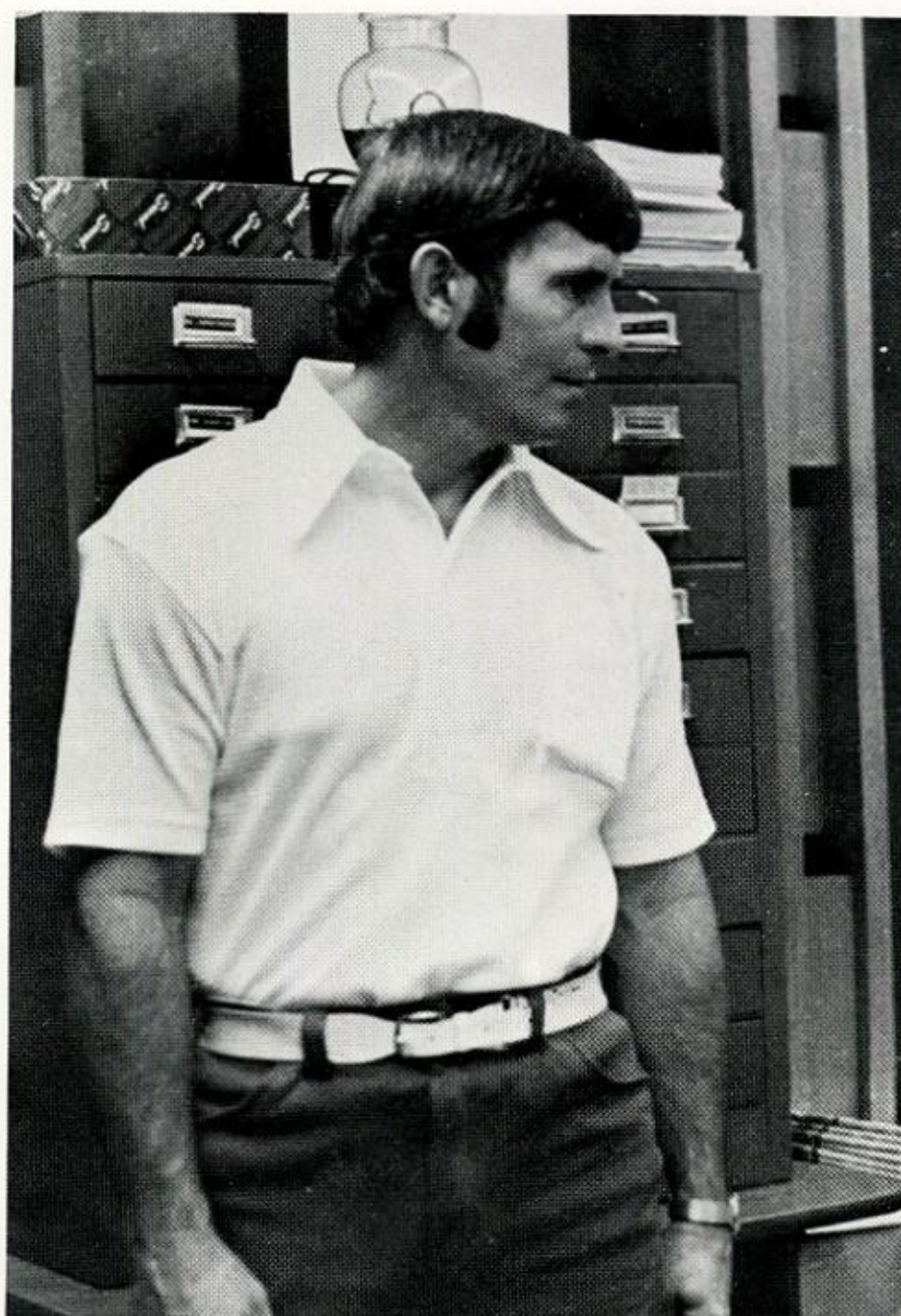
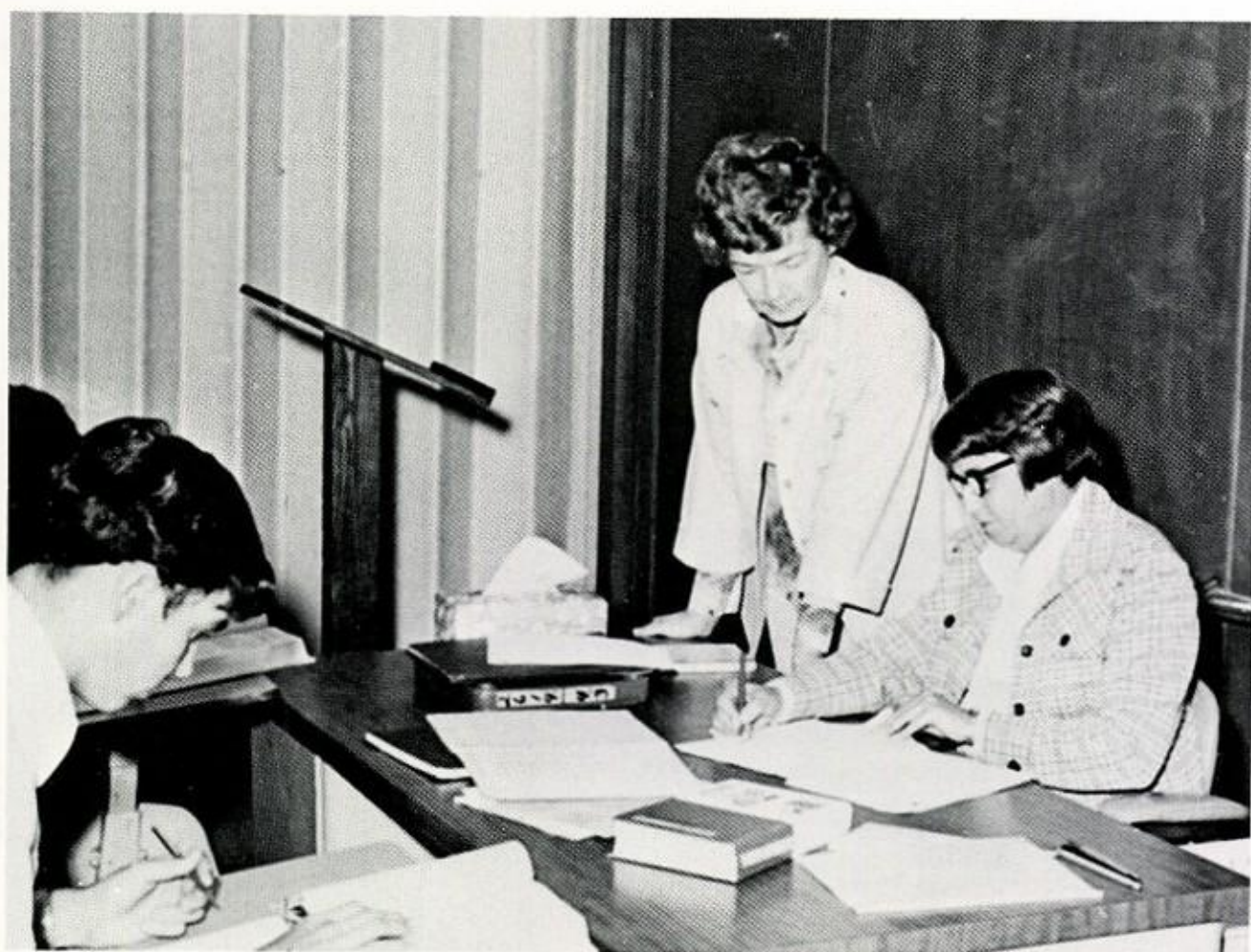
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Voc. Agriculture





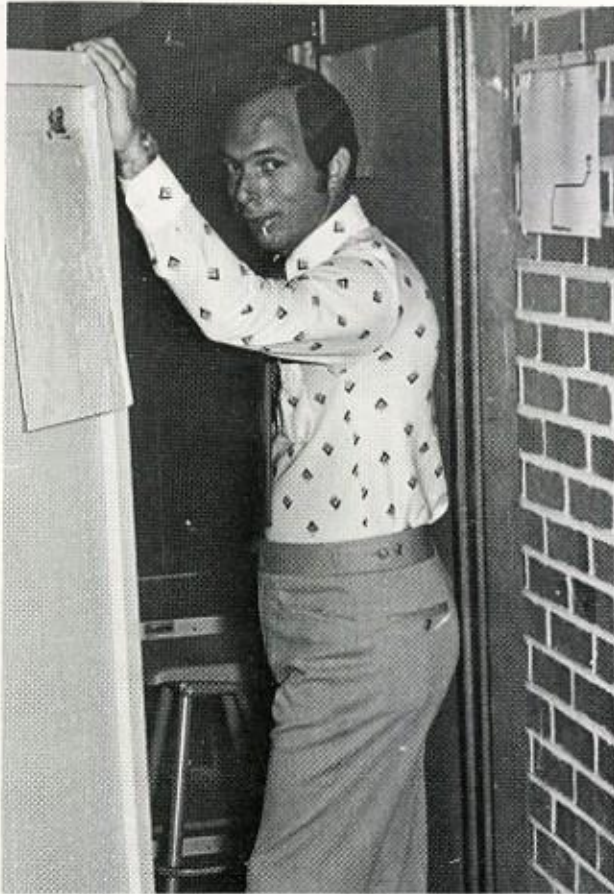






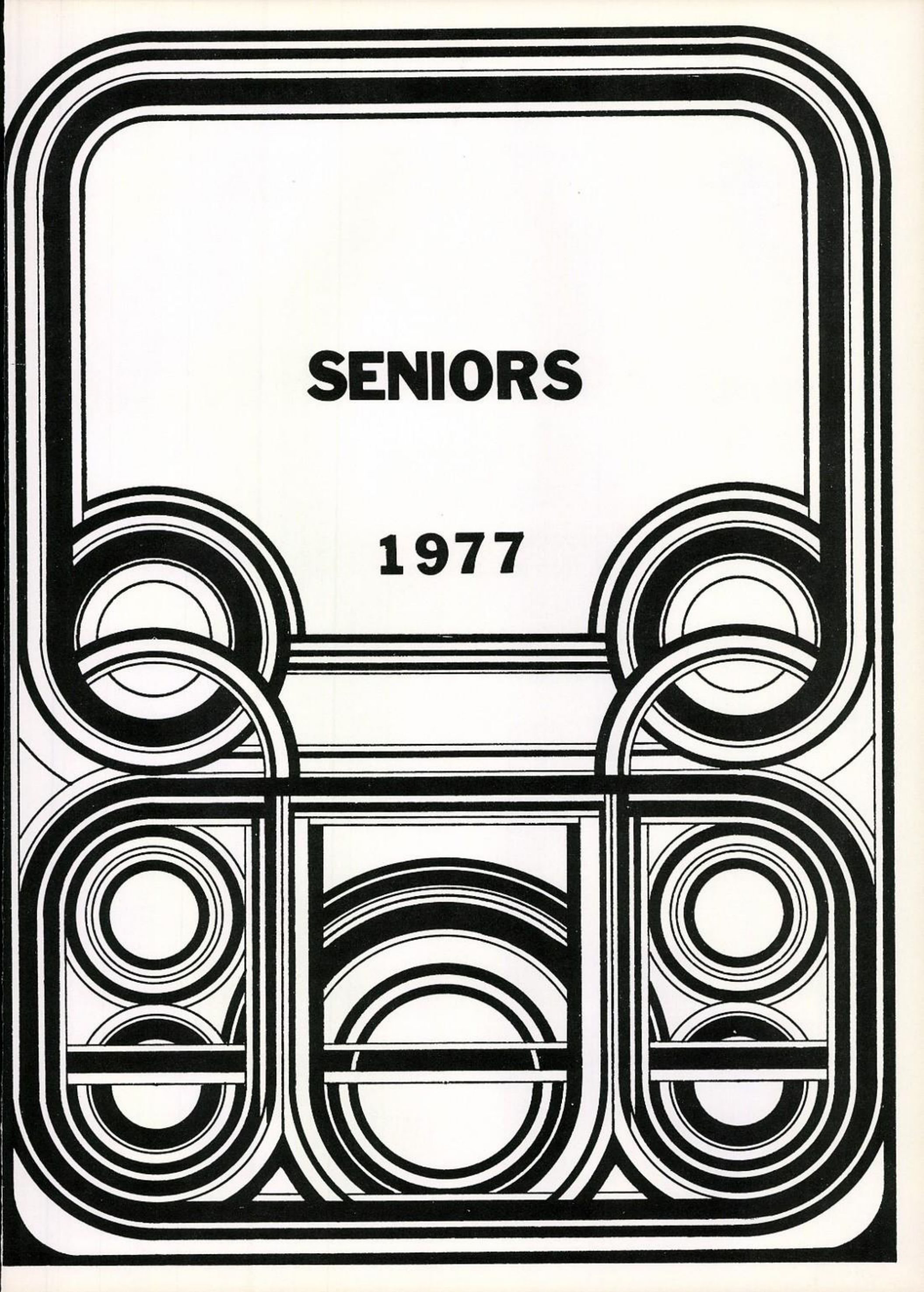
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Seniors Frantically Plan Trip



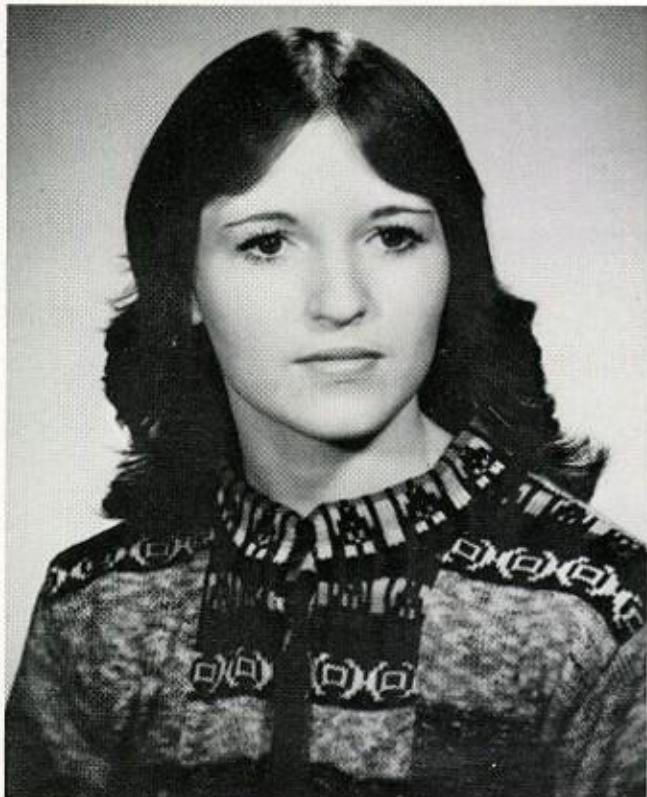
The Senior Class officers are, left to right, Tomas Gonzalez, vice president; Lisa Howard, treasurer; Allen Young, president; Elise Kelley, reporter; and Donna Pyron, secretary.

Class parents for the year were Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Young, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ford, Mr. and Mrs. Parker Kelley and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Young.

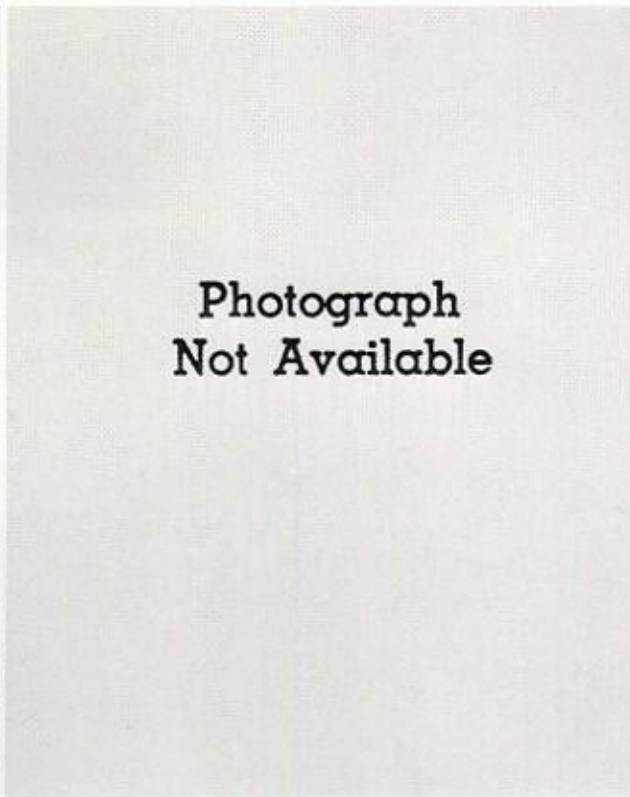
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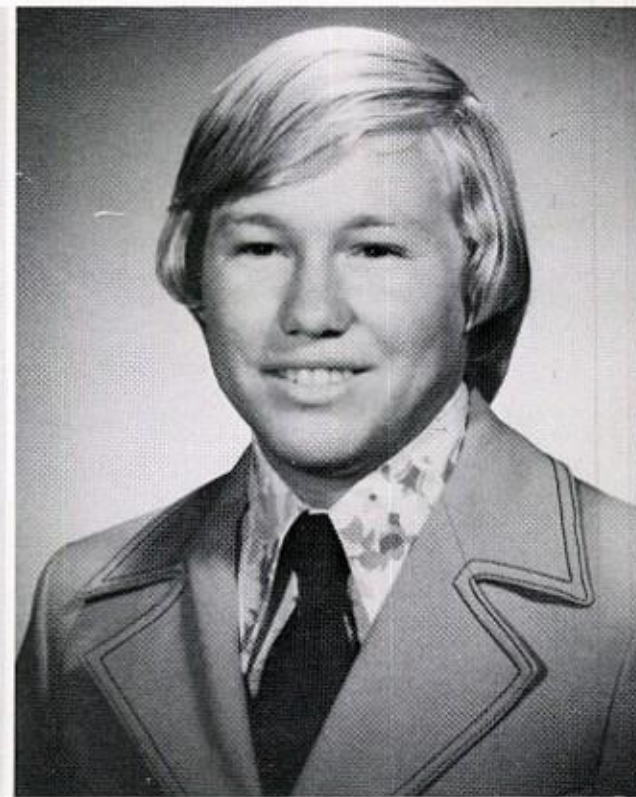
Hamlin High School rings are always proudly worn by the seniors (even to extremes).



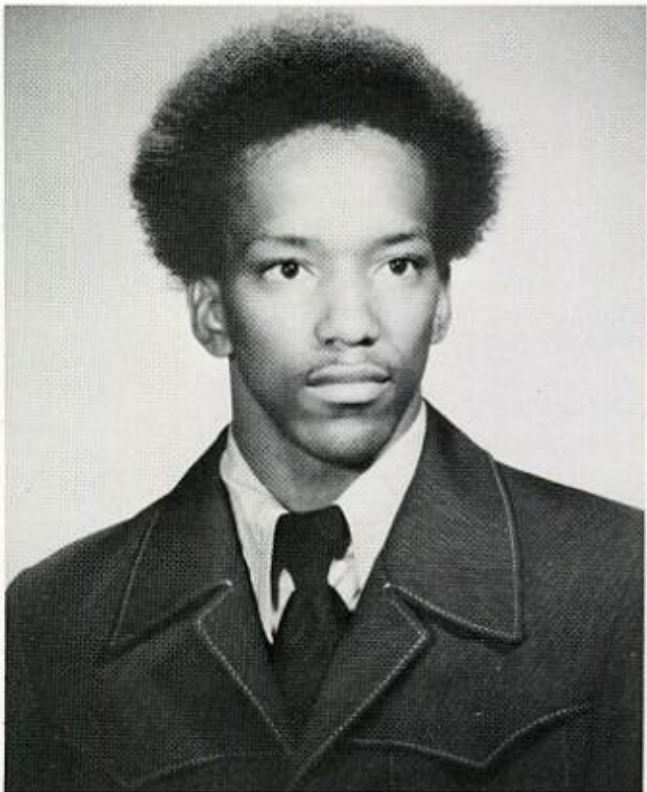
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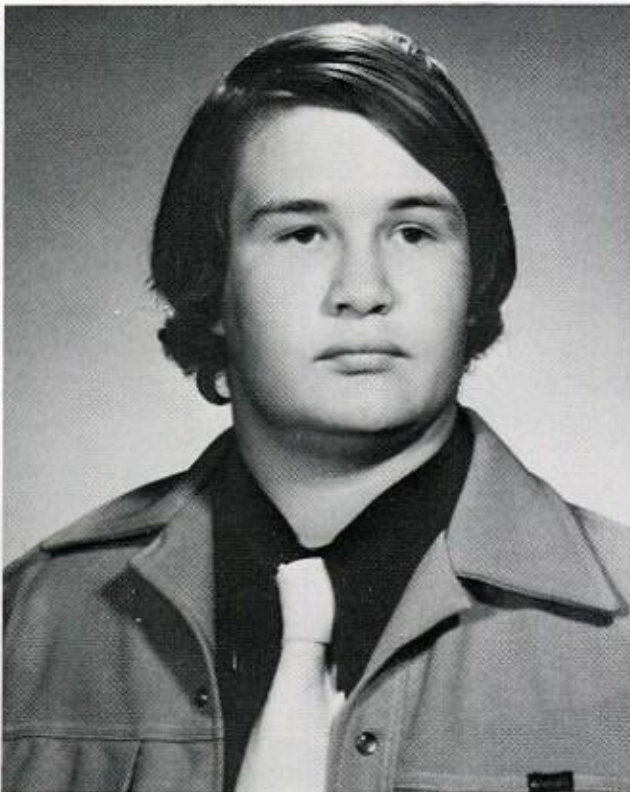
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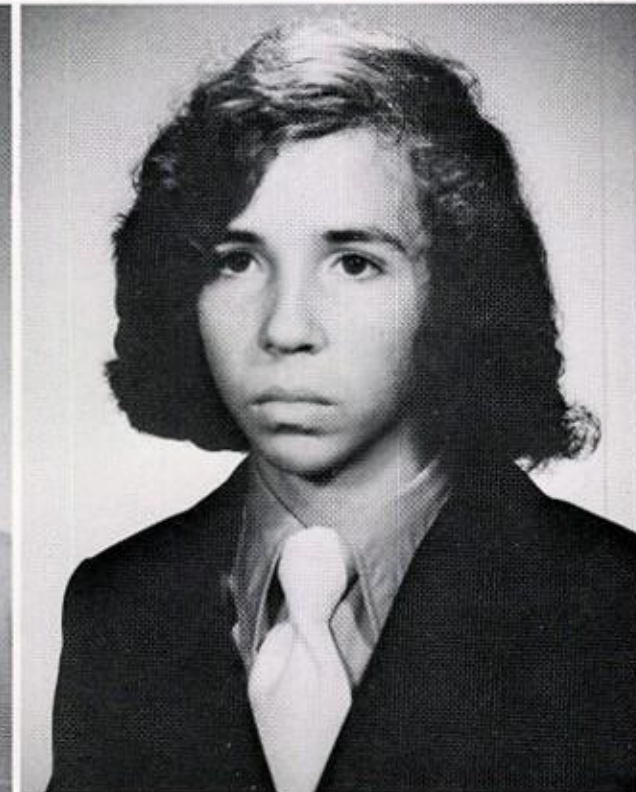
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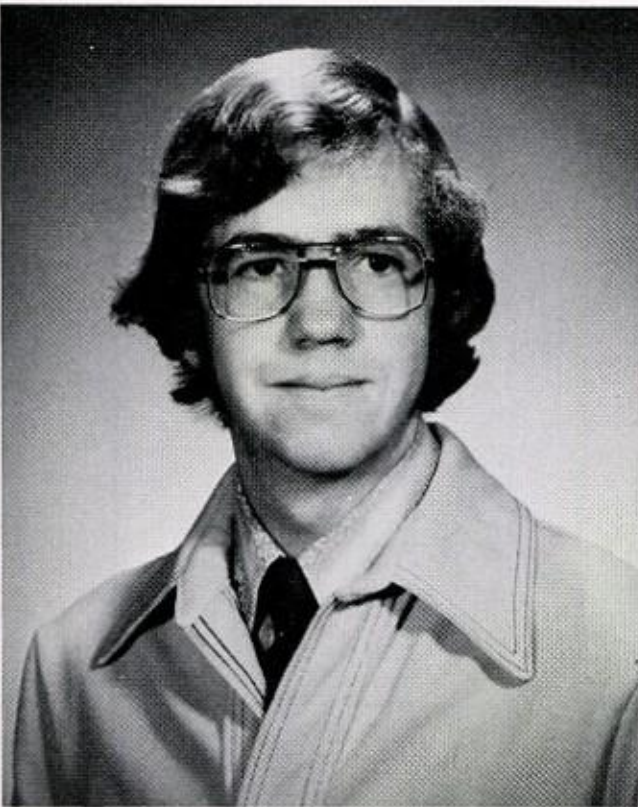
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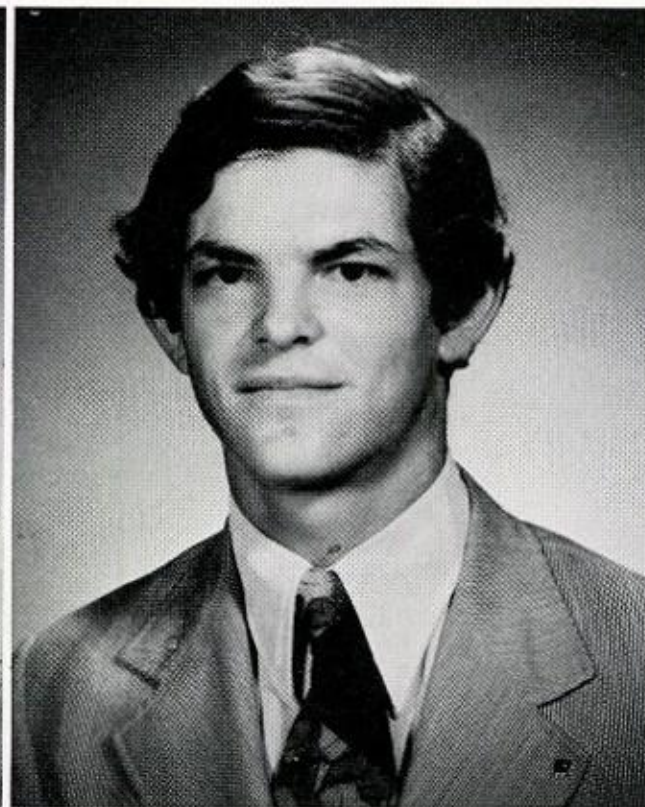
Sherry Carter



Tracy, Barbara, Tommie, Charles and Delbert learn bookkeeping from Miss Mitchell.



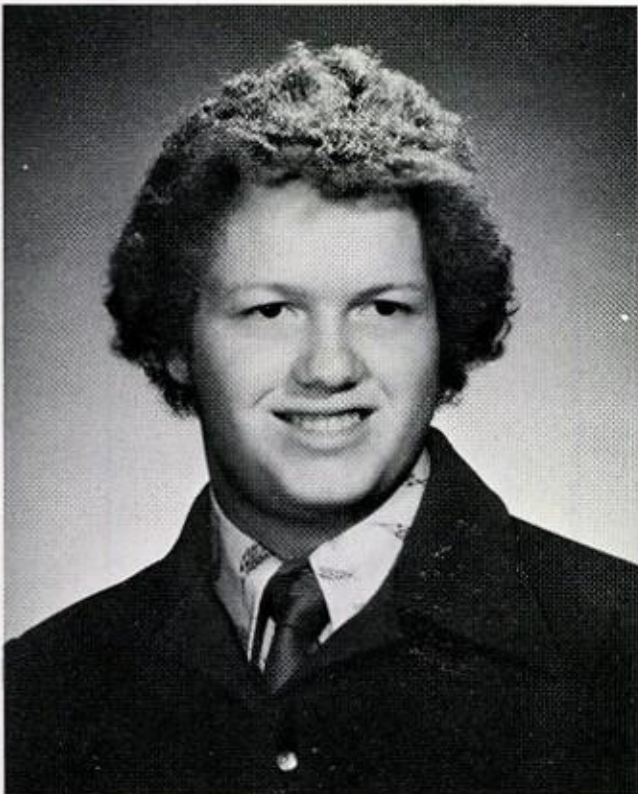
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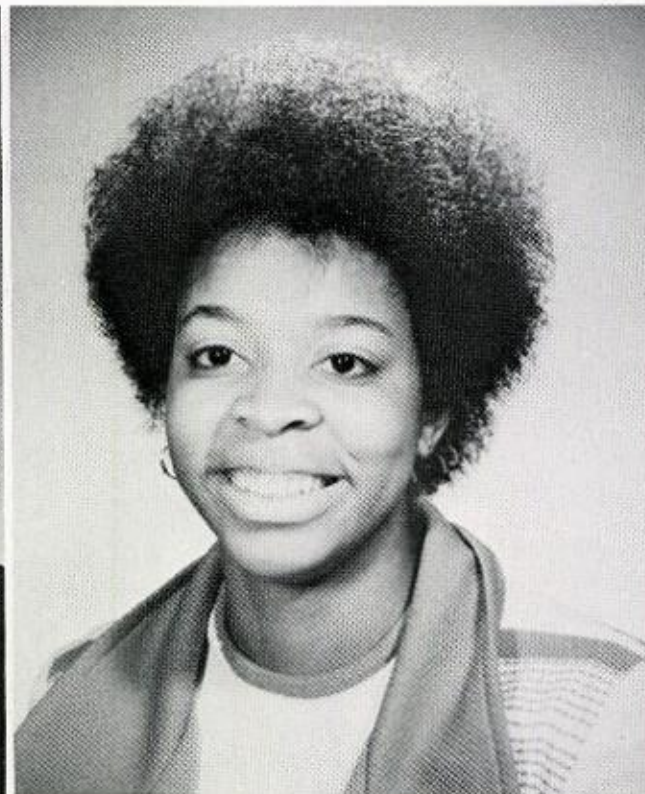
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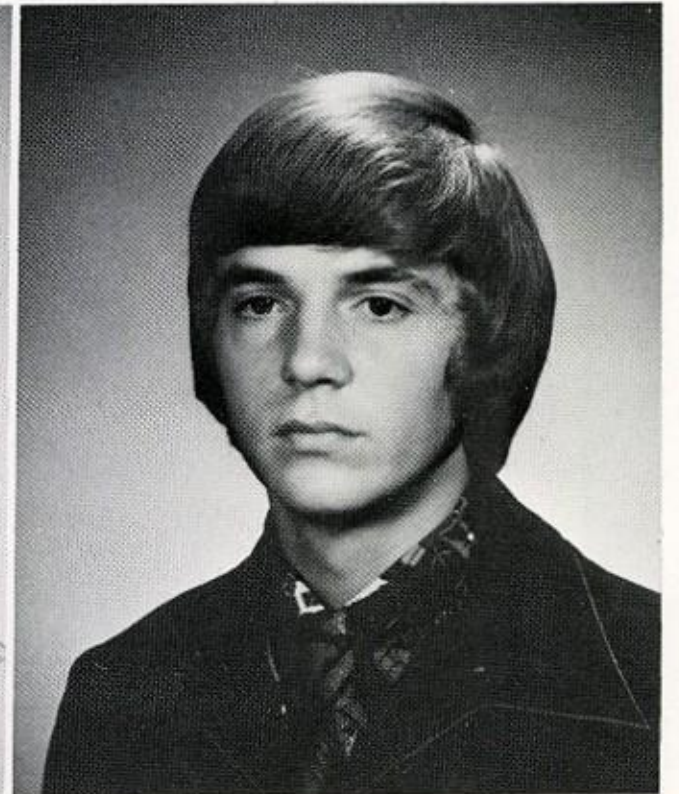
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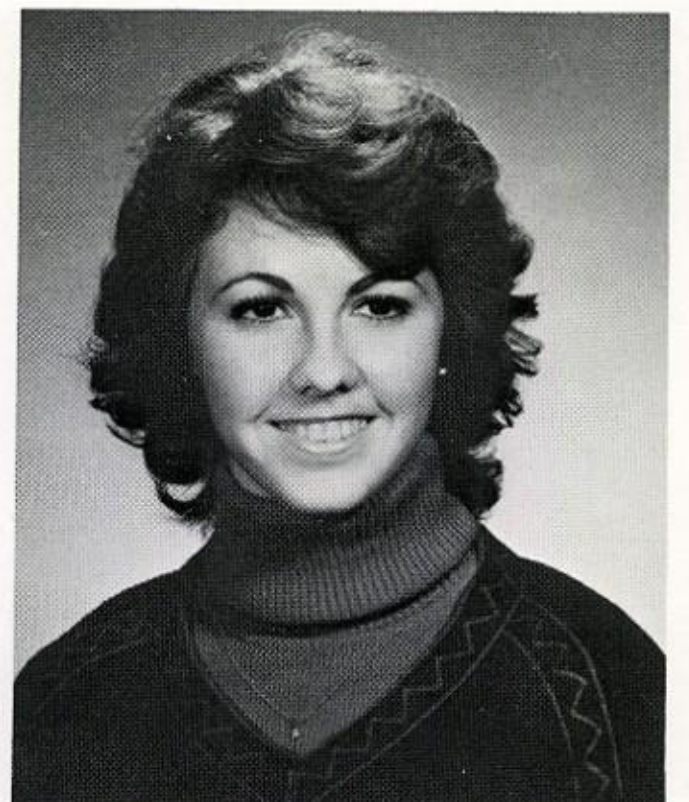
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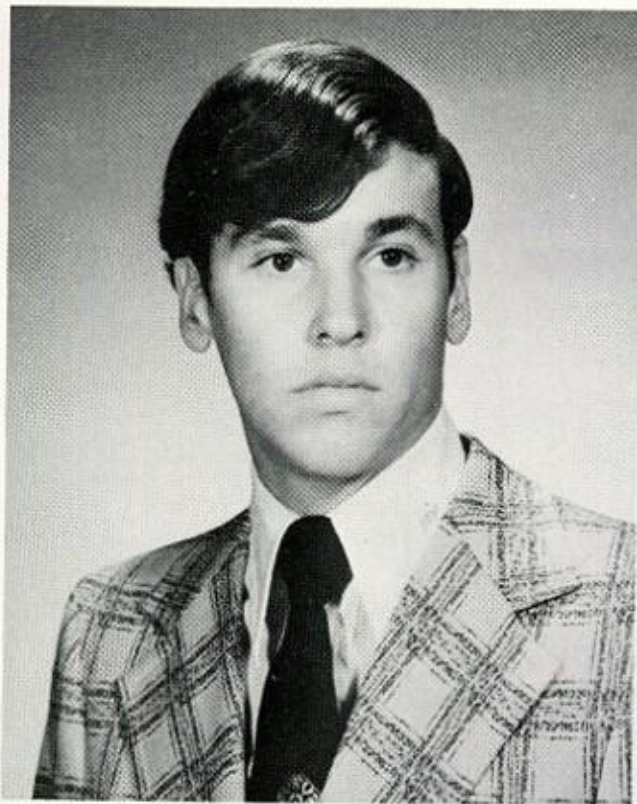
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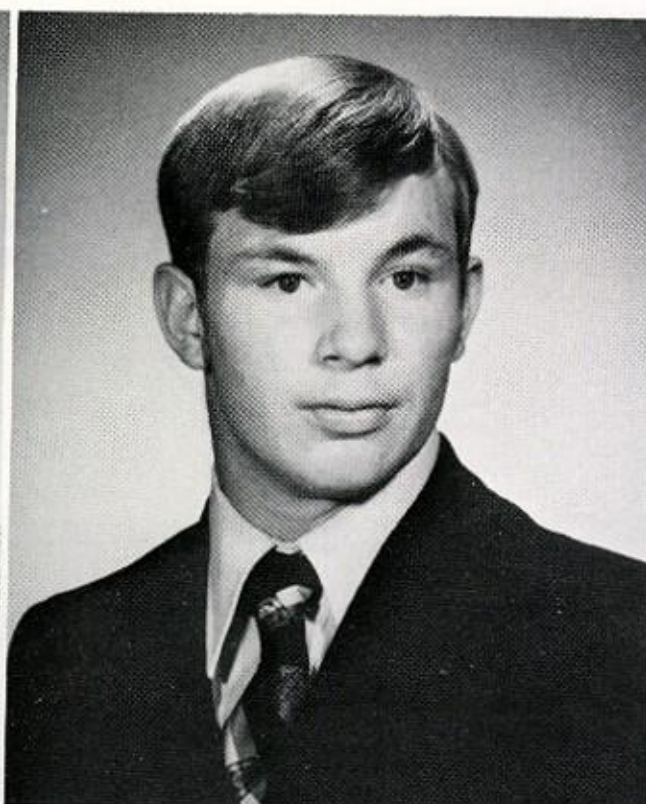
Mrs. Gerald Young shows Pat, Lisa, Pam, Tomas and Elise how a float is built.



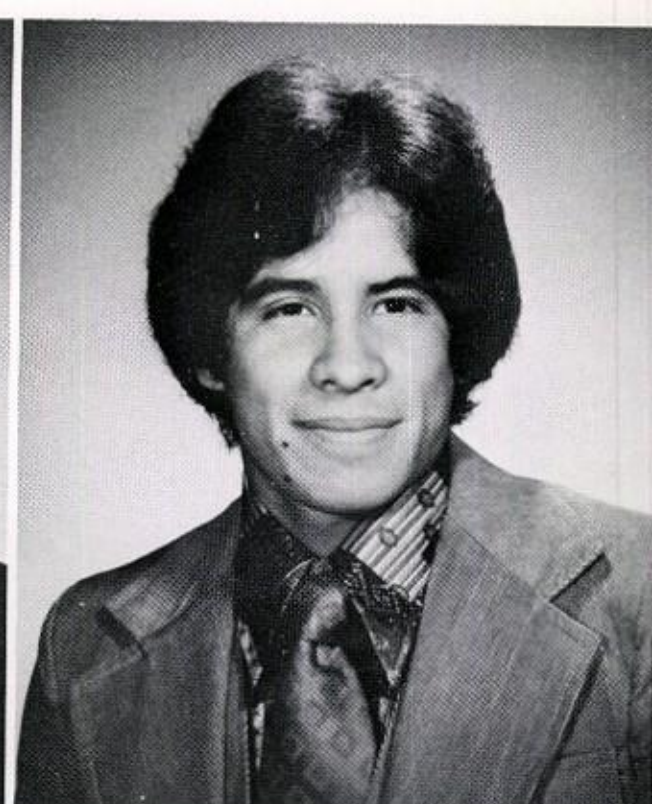
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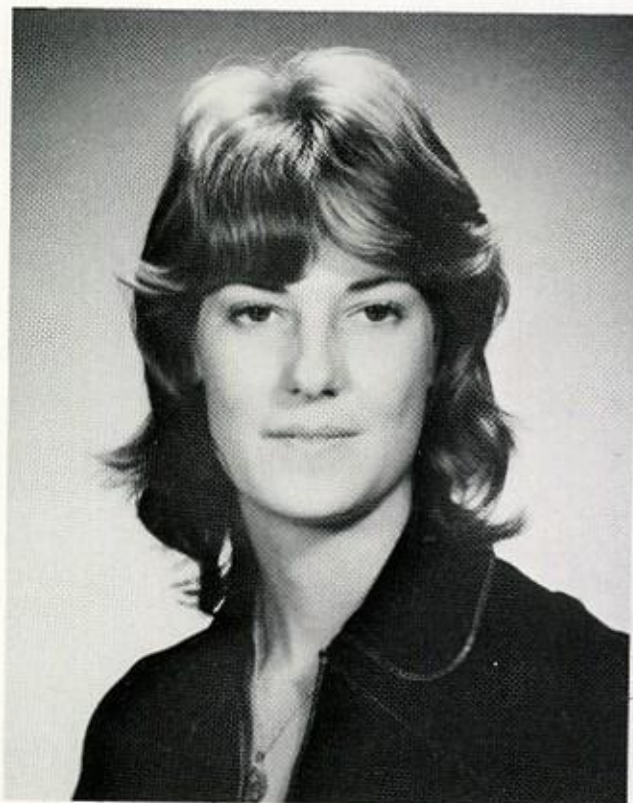
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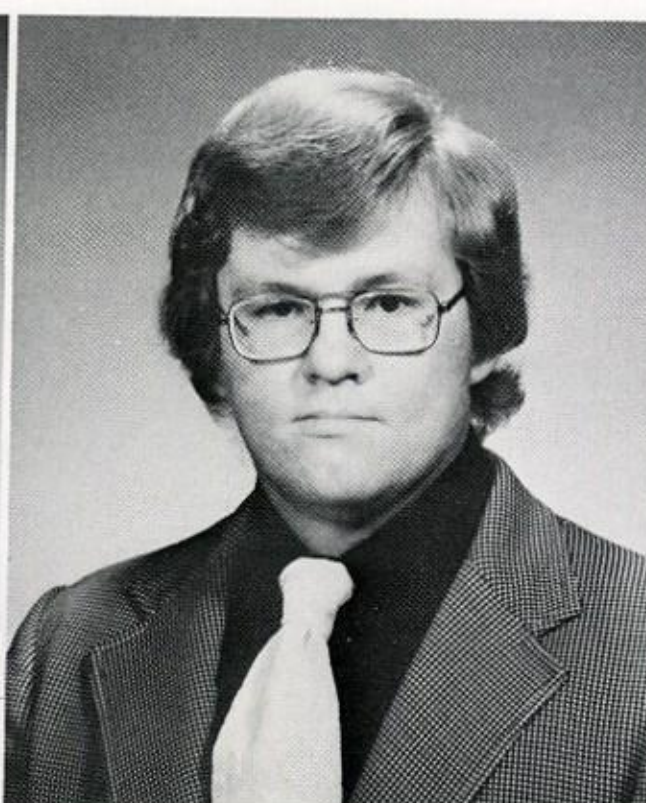
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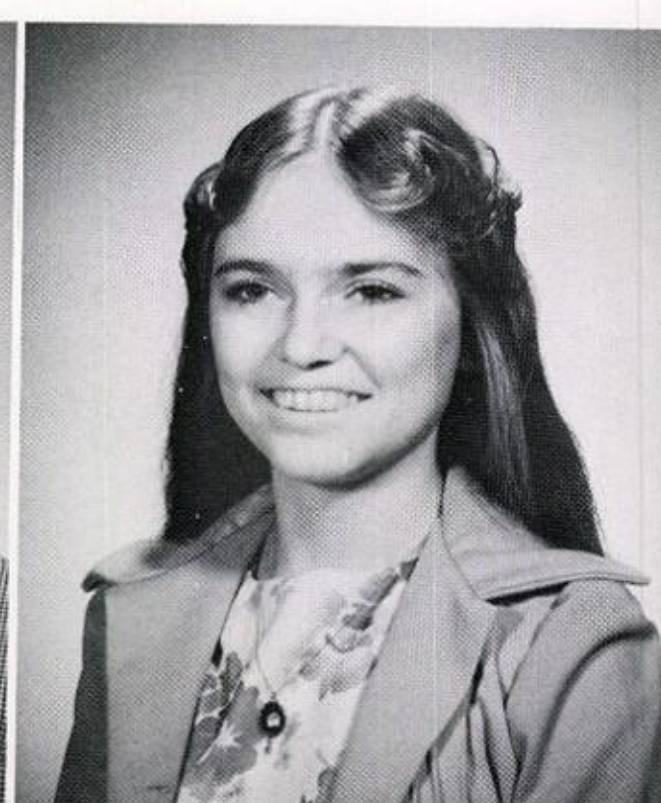
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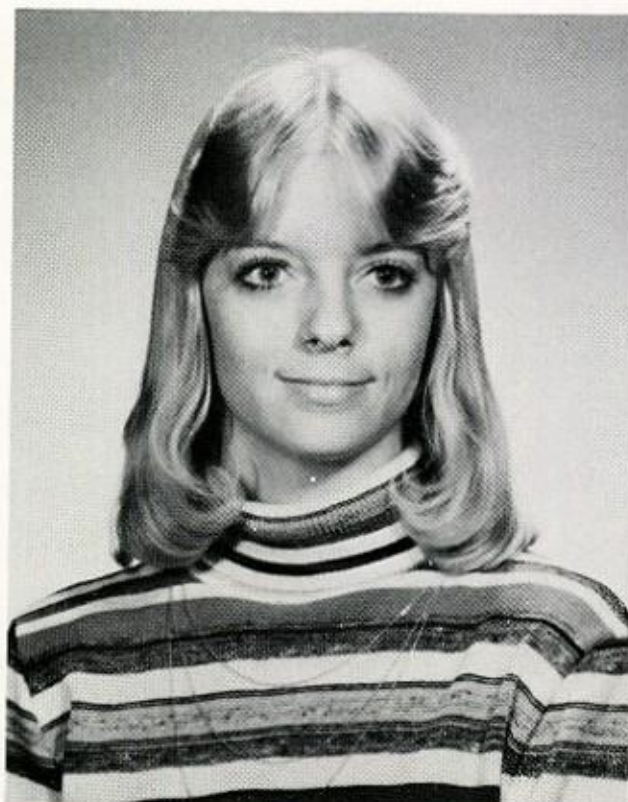
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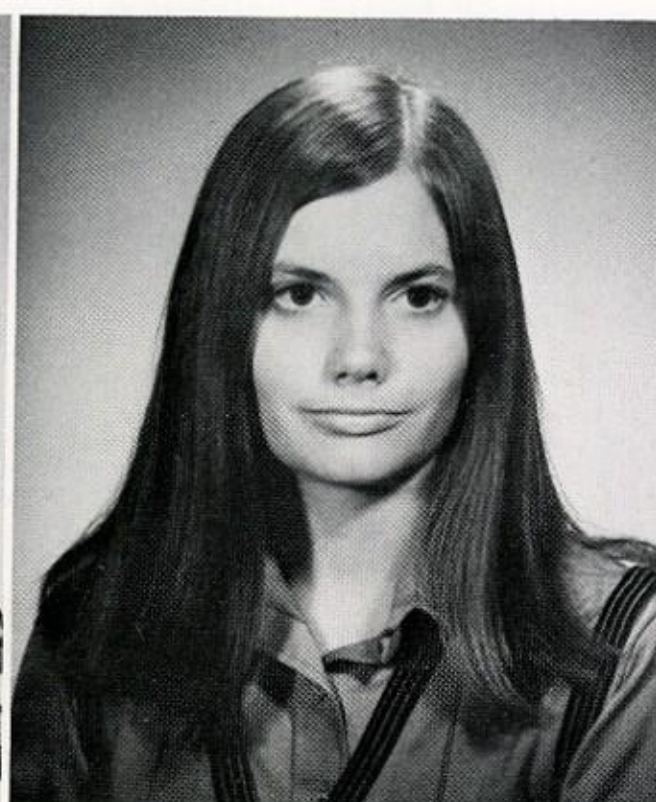
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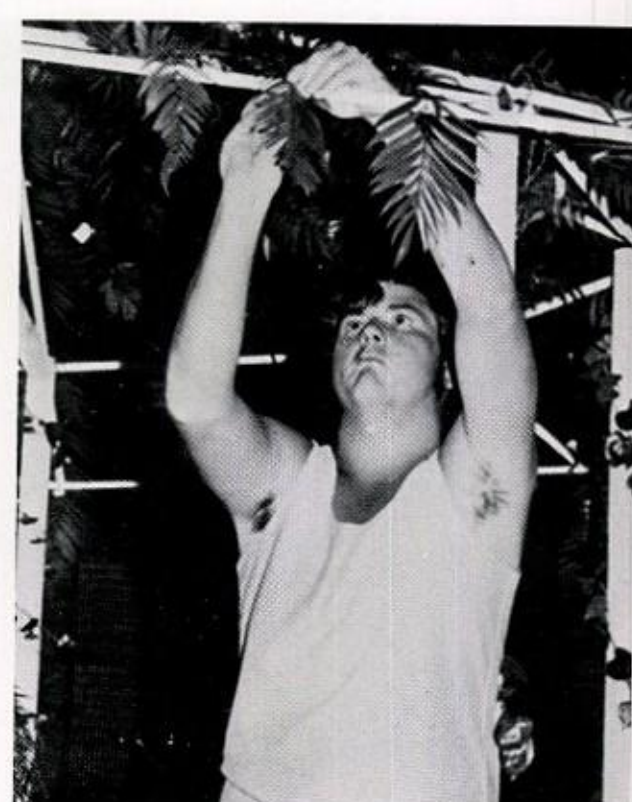
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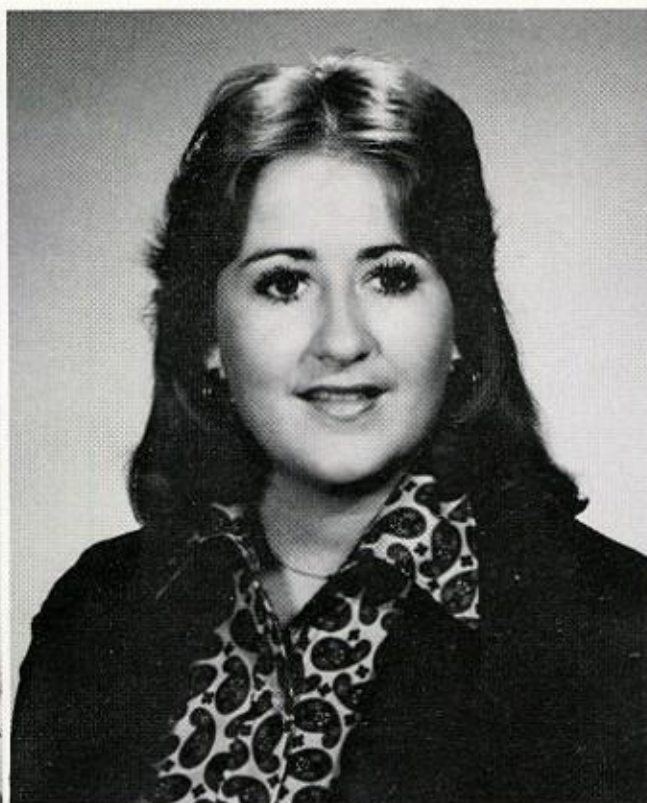
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Andy adds the trim to the senior float.



Barbara Hooper



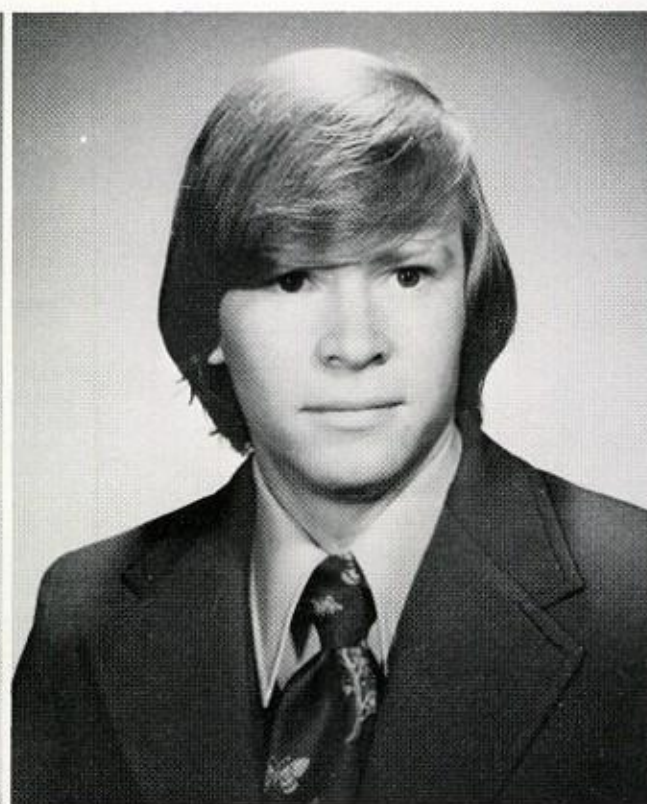
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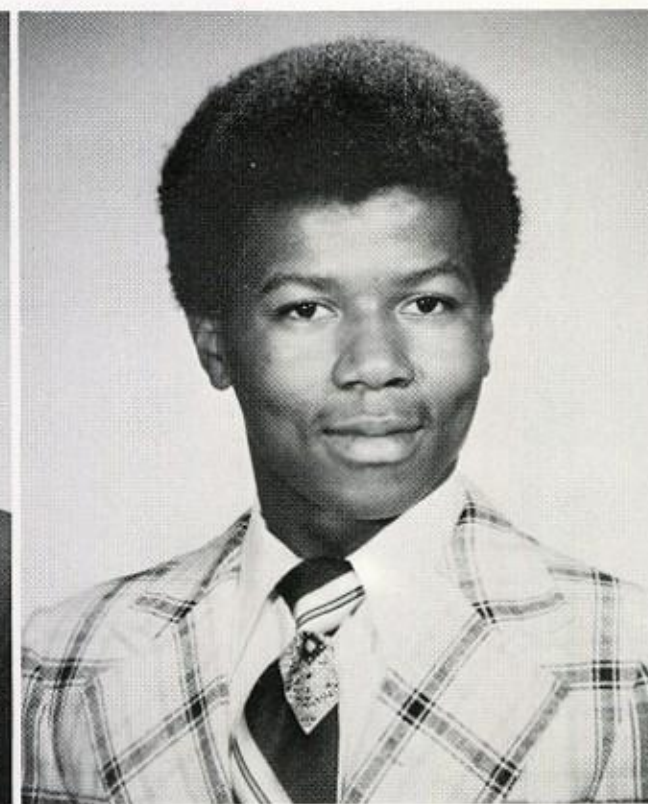
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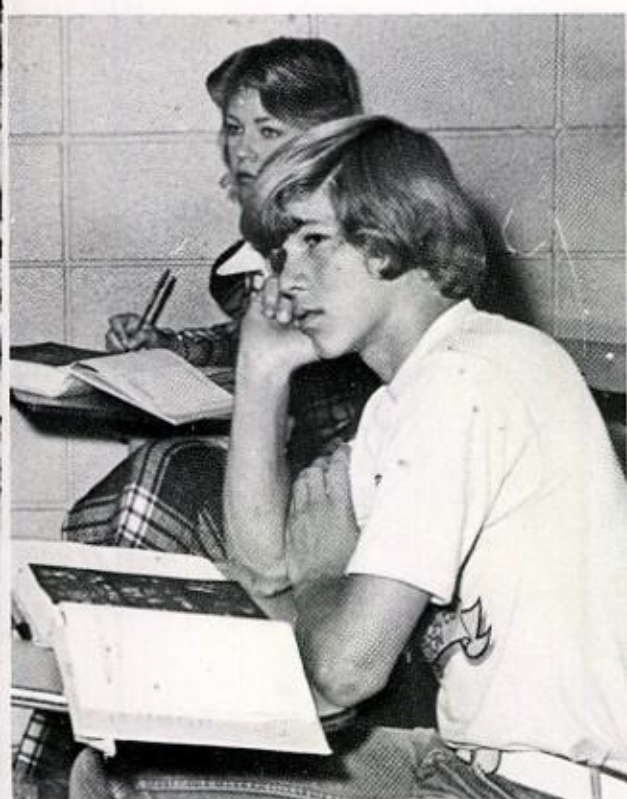
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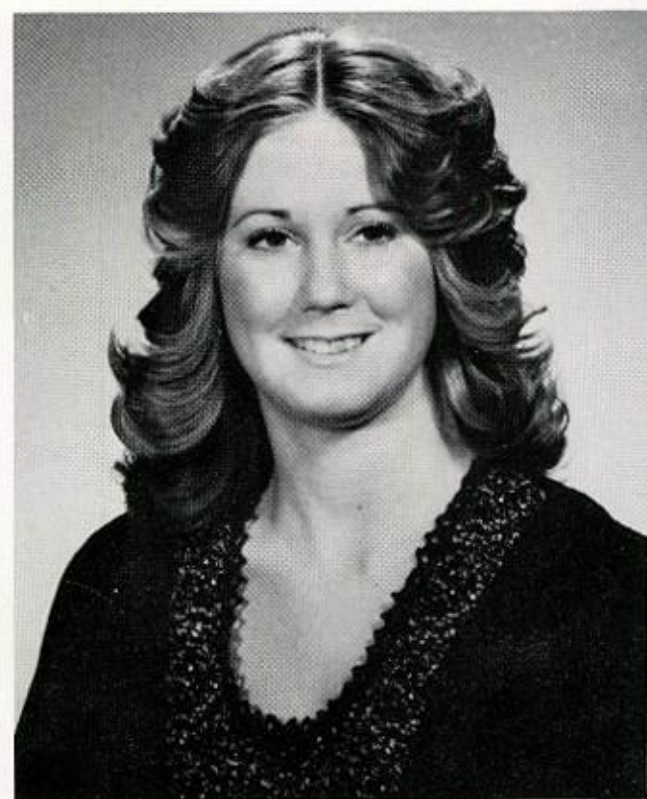
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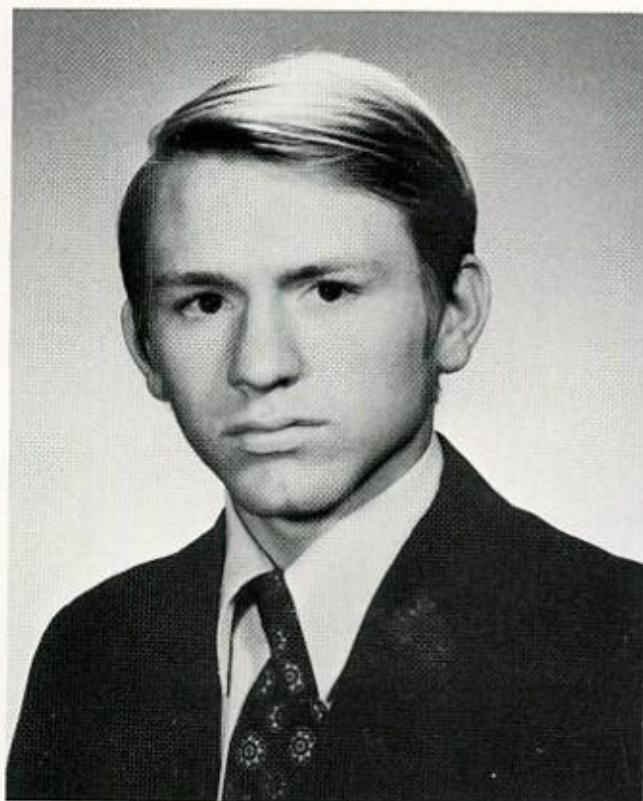
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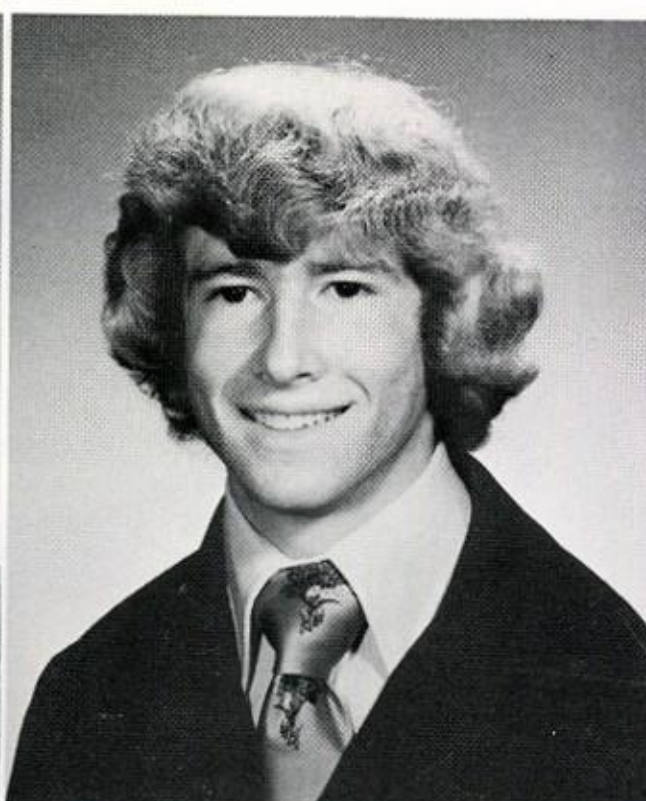
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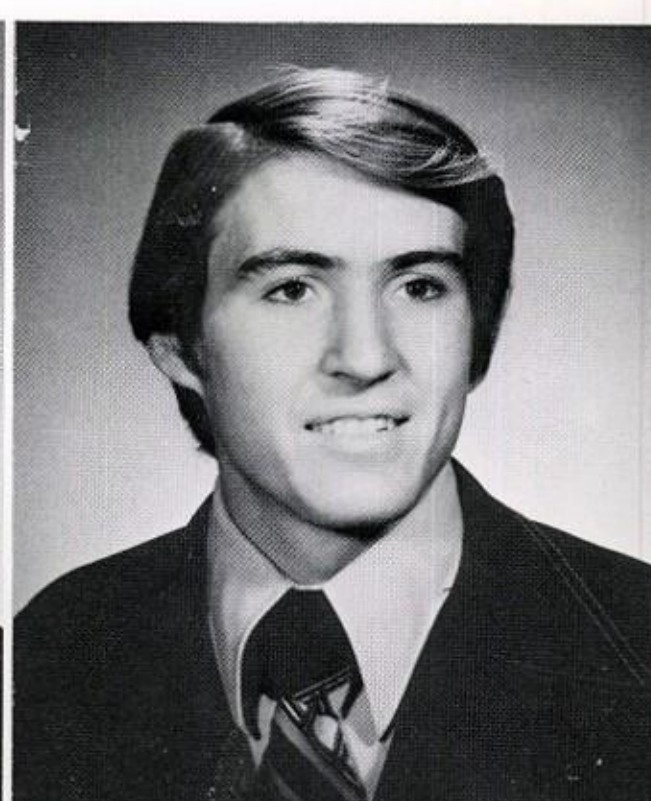
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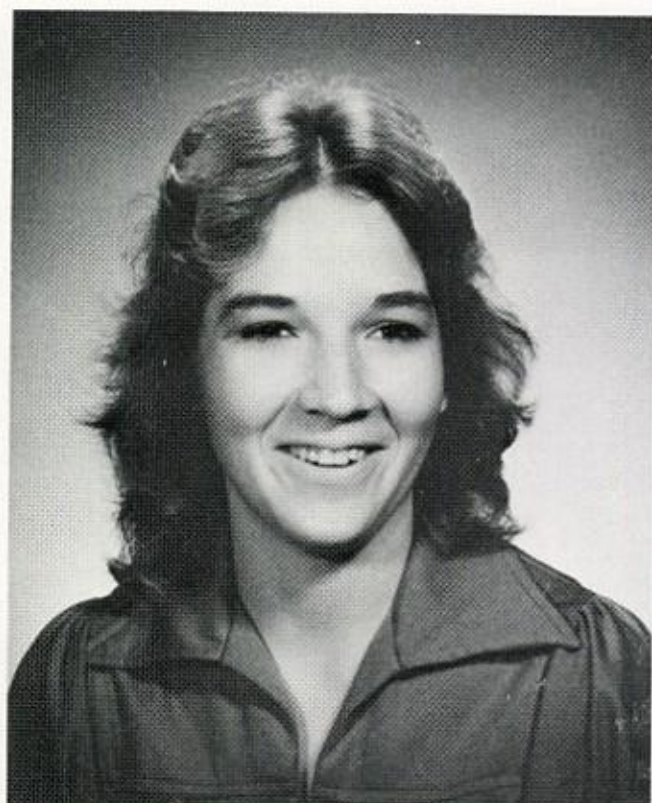
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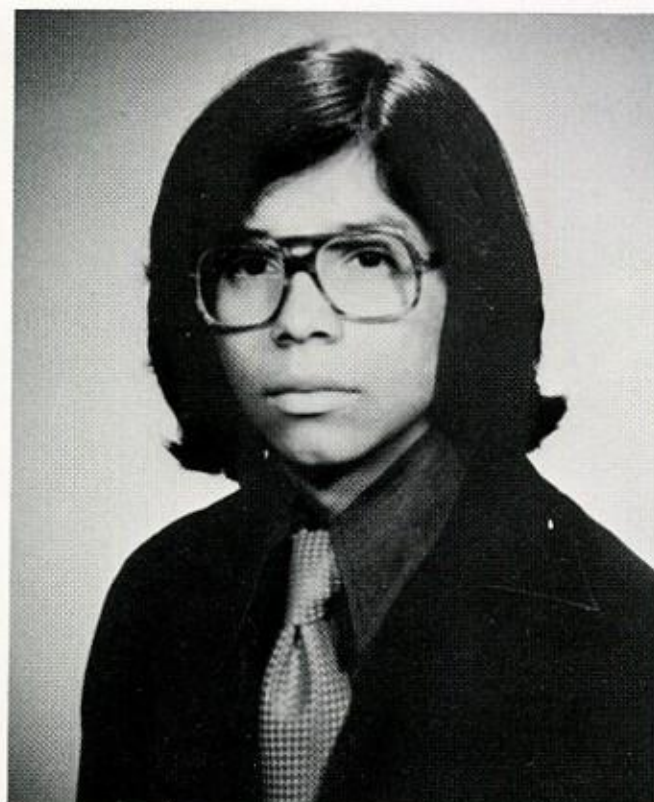
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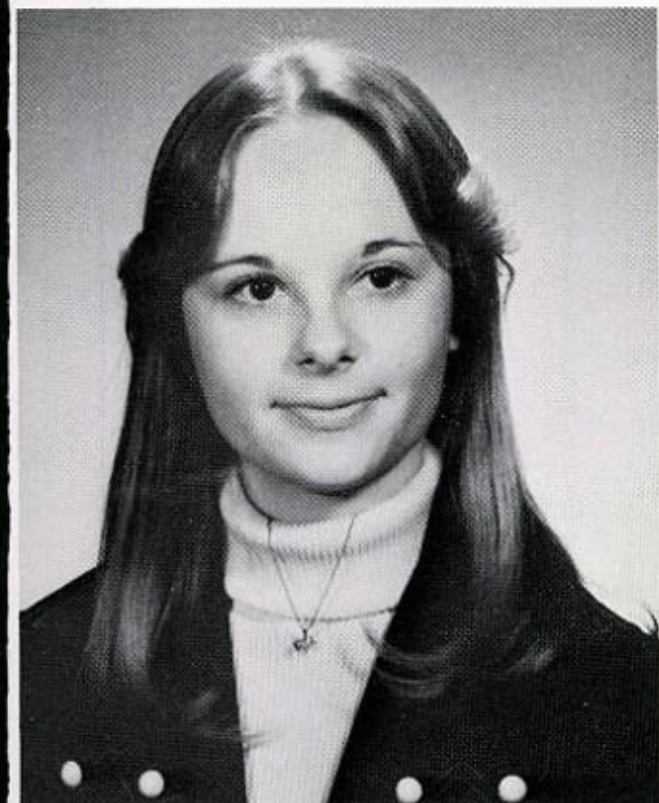
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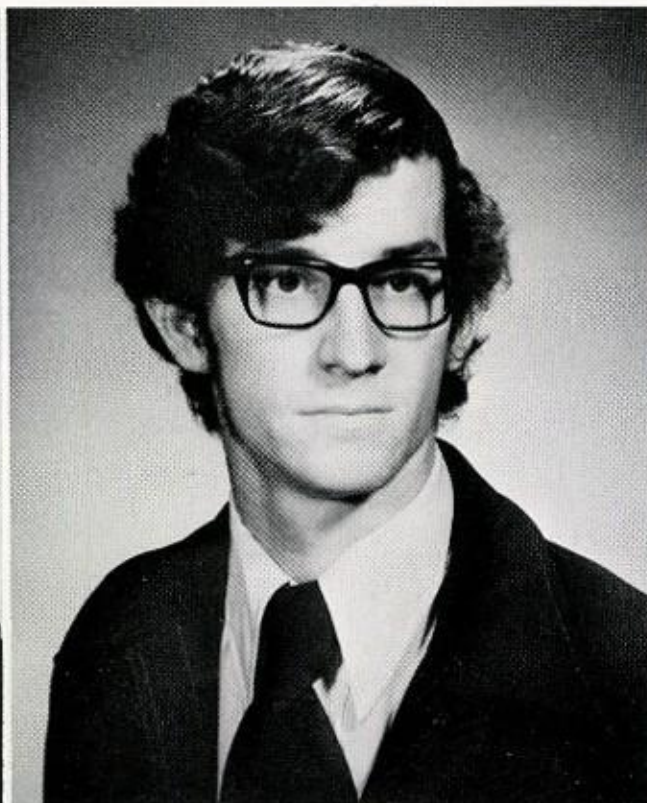
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The Senior Class meets in the catetorium to plan ways of financing an end-of-school trip.



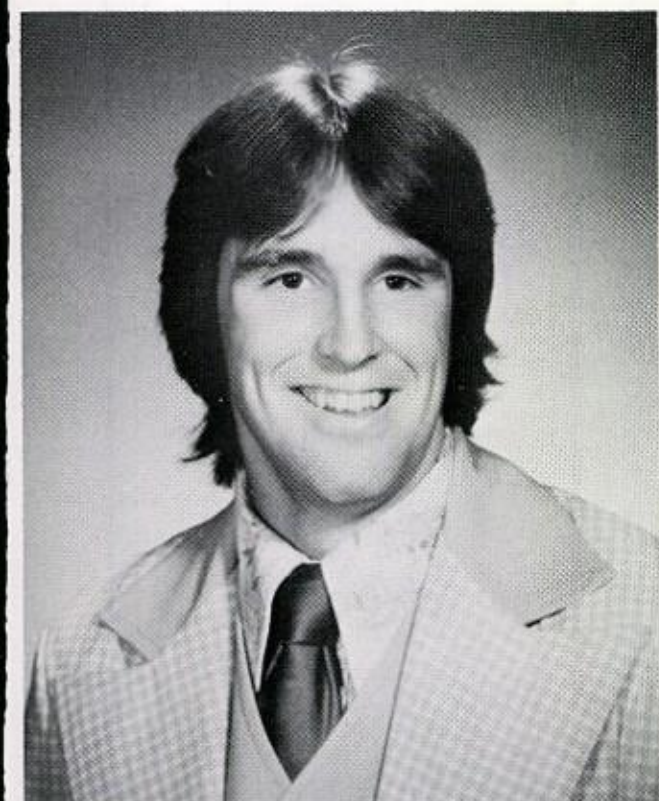
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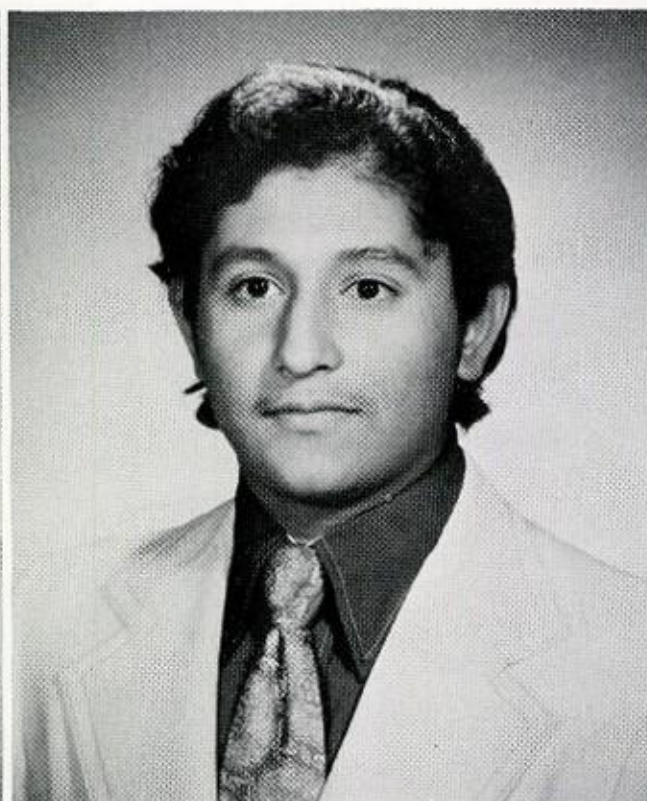
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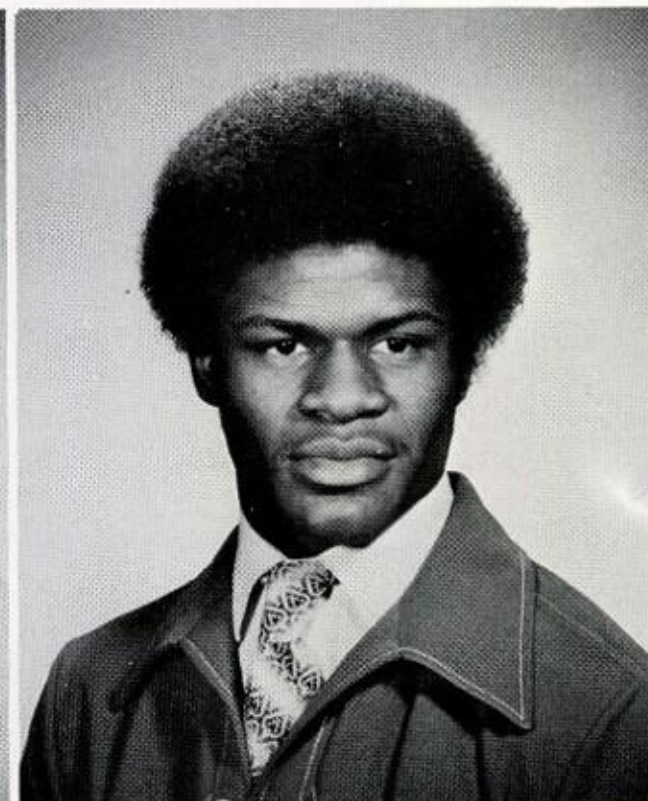
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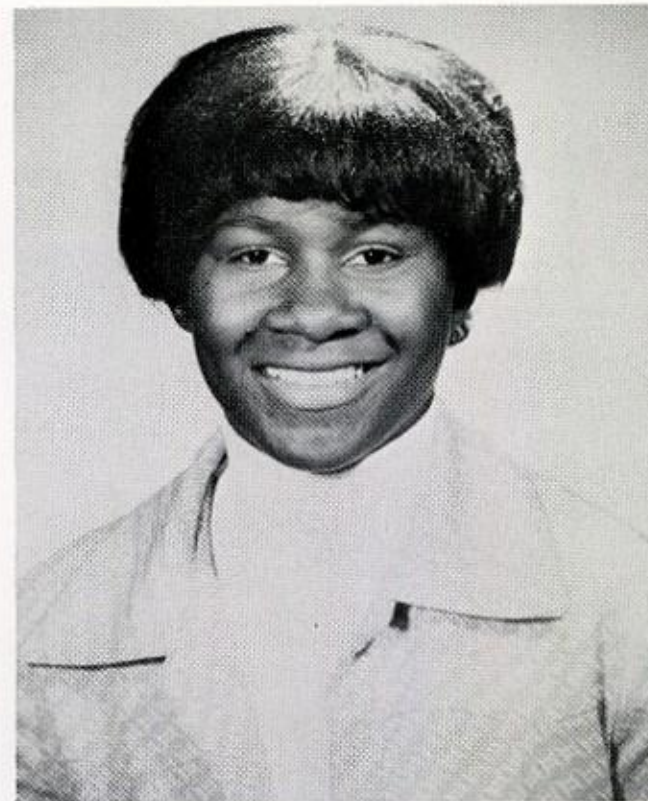
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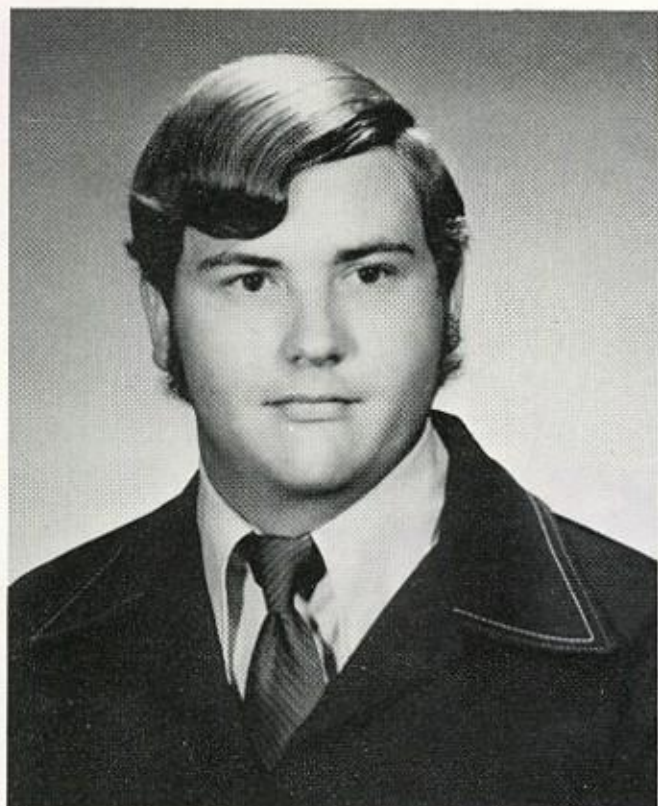
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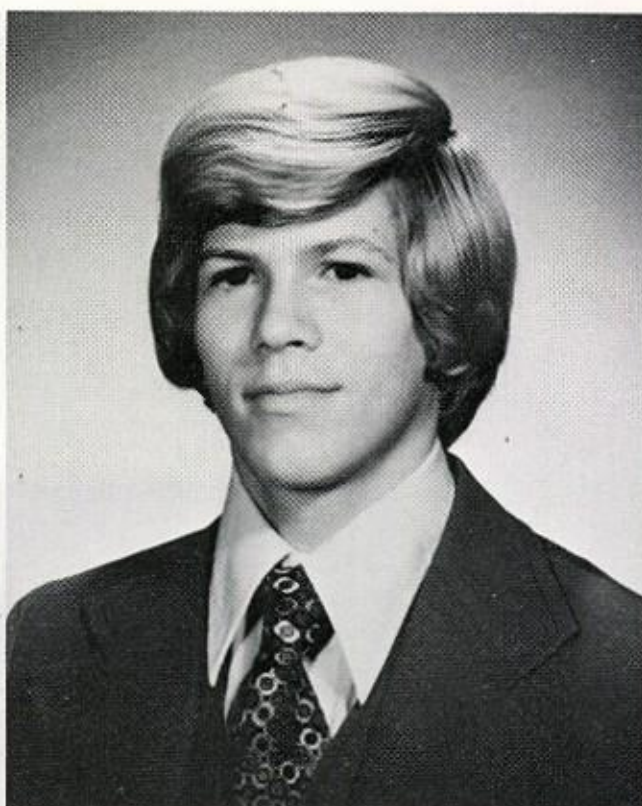
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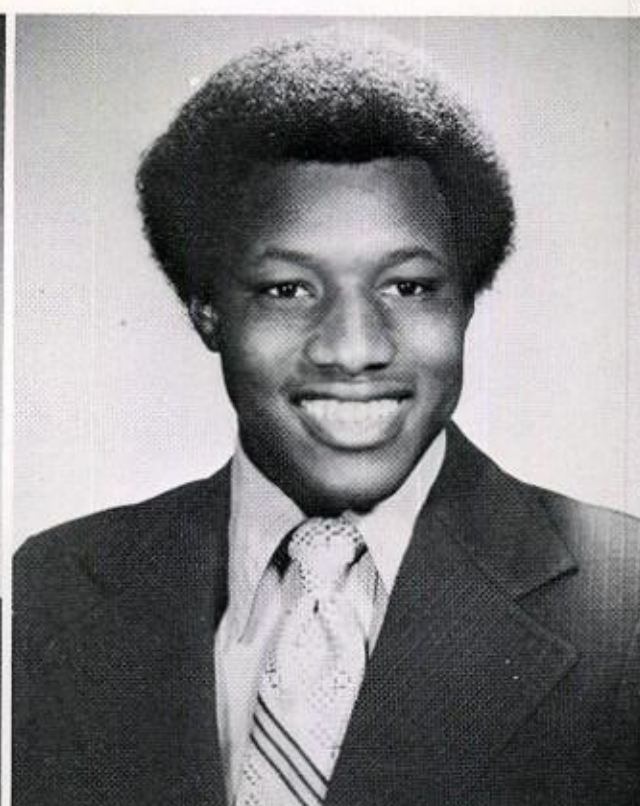
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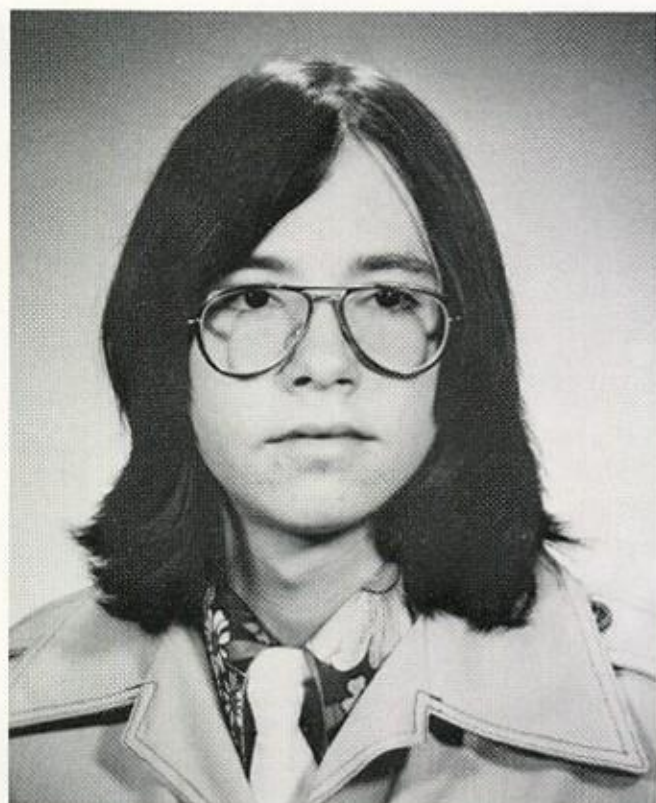
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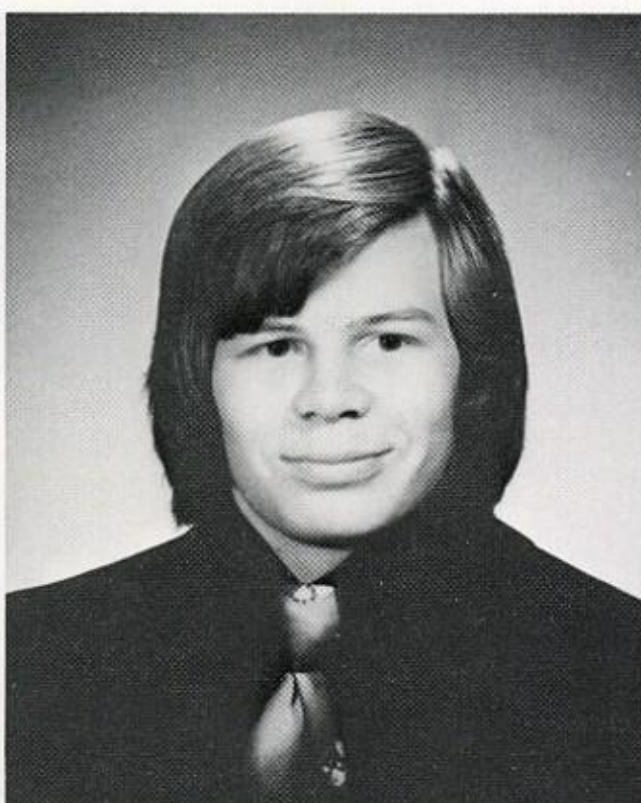
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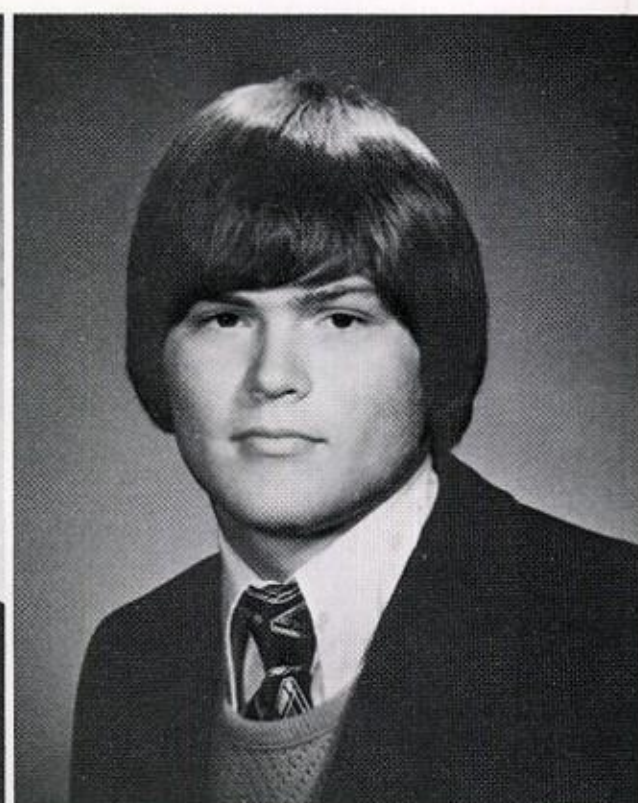
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Arlen Woolf



Allen Young



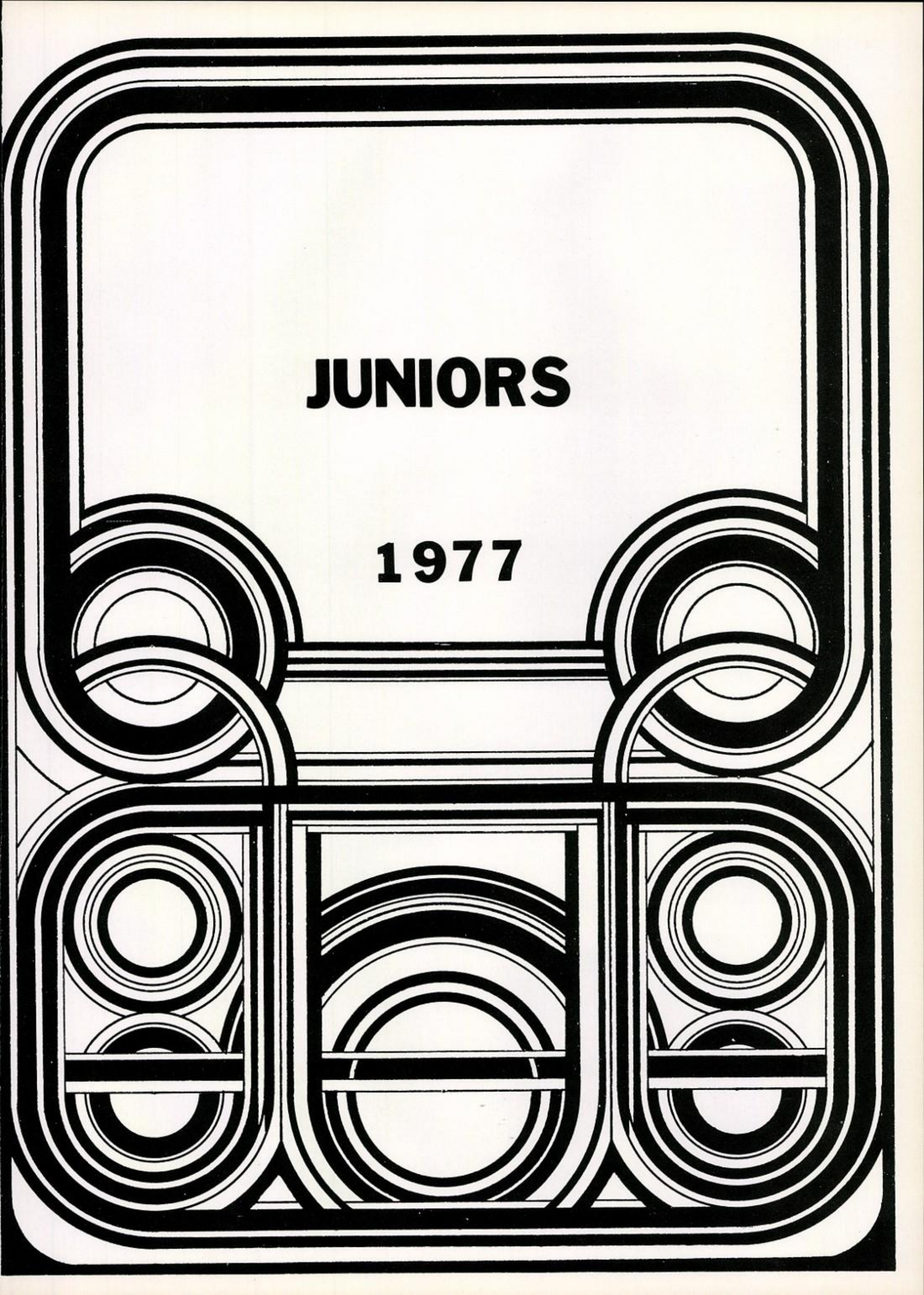
DeDe Young



Homecoming nominees, Pam and Barbara, enjoy the ride during the Homecoming Parade.

JUNIORS

1977



Juniors Sell Pennants



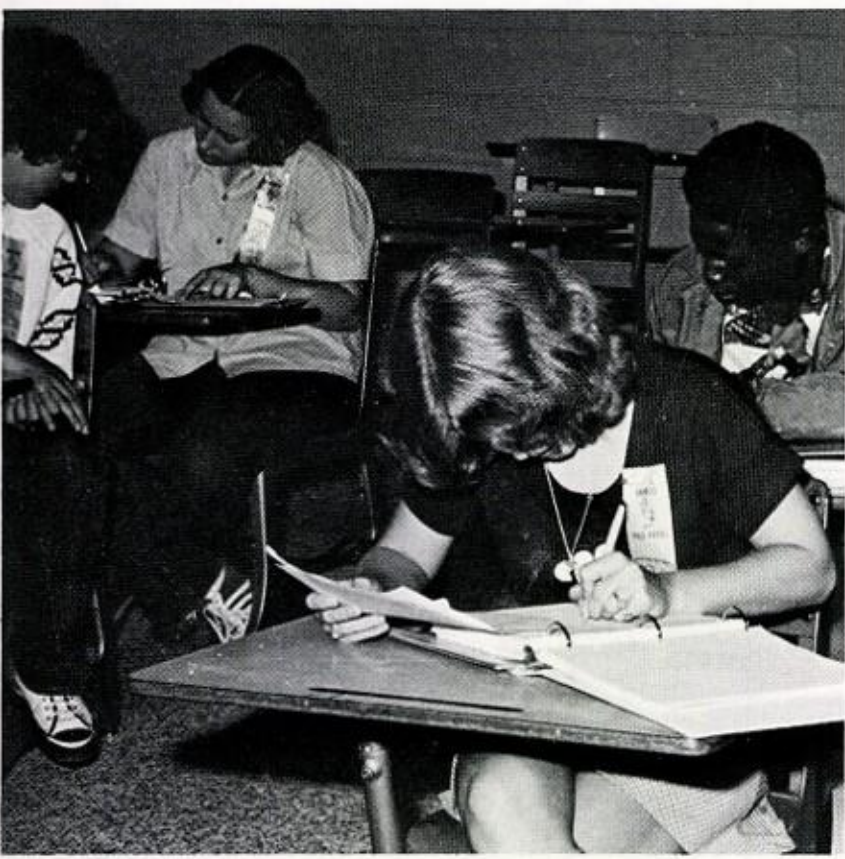
Junior Class officers are, left to right, Drew Tomlinson, vice president; Jami Crowley, reporter; Mike Hymer, president; Olivia Marshall, secretary; and Tommy Maberry, treasurer.



Many juniors are active in FHA, as Faye shows during a meeting in the sewing lab.

Junior Class parents for the past school year were Dr. and Mrs. Joe D. Hymer, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Tomlinson, Mrs. Janie Cork and Mr. and Mrs. Alton Clem.

Class sponsors were Miss Dora Mitchell, Miss Mary Esco and Mr. Jerry Gooch.

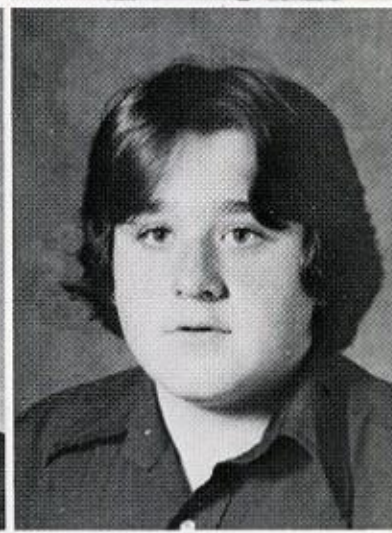


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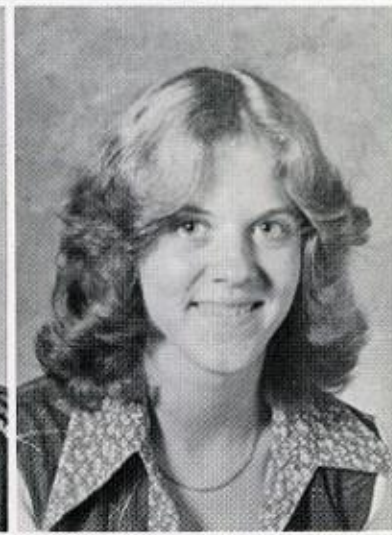
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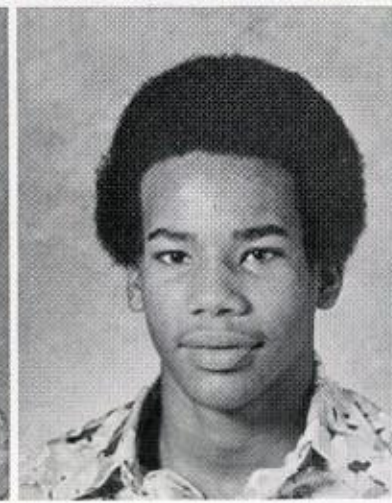
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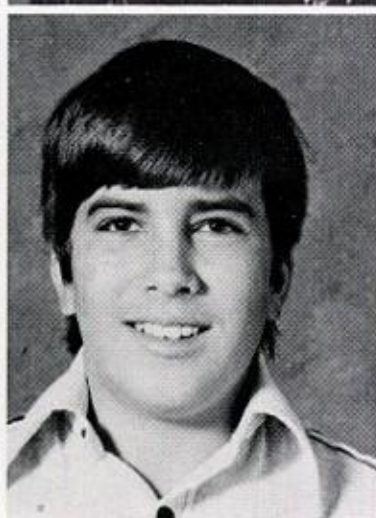
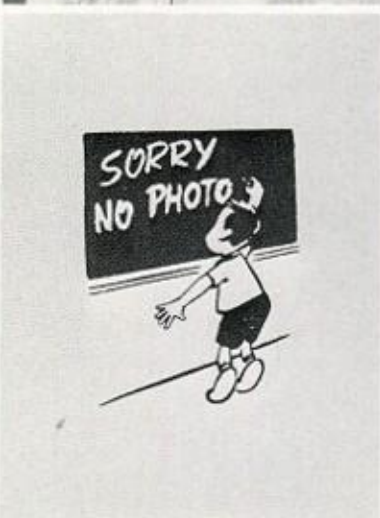
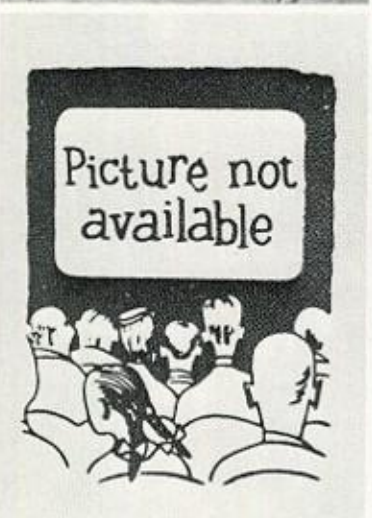
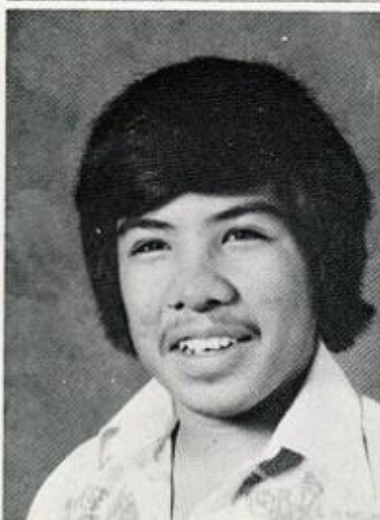
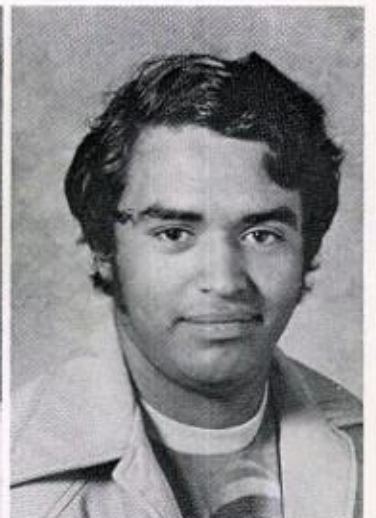
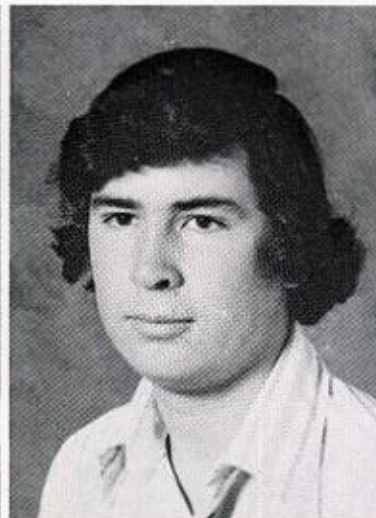
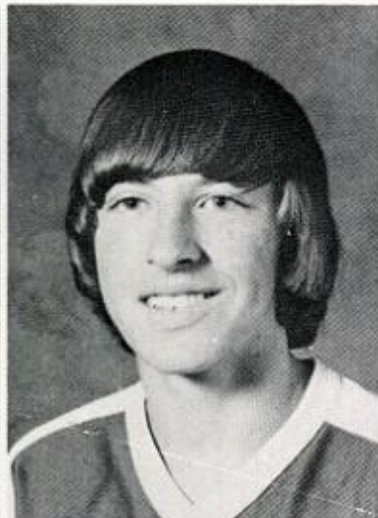
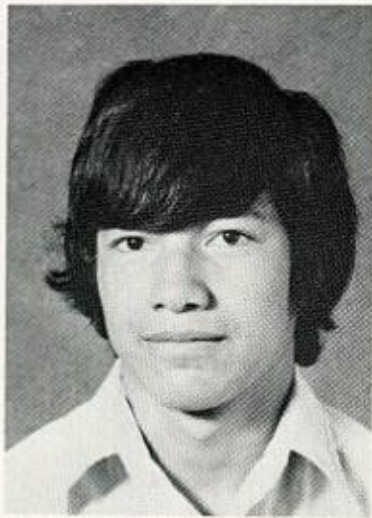


Faye Cork
Starlet Covington
Jami Crowley
Lynn Davis



Henry Dancer
Vivian Dixon
Bo Ervine
Gayleta Flowers





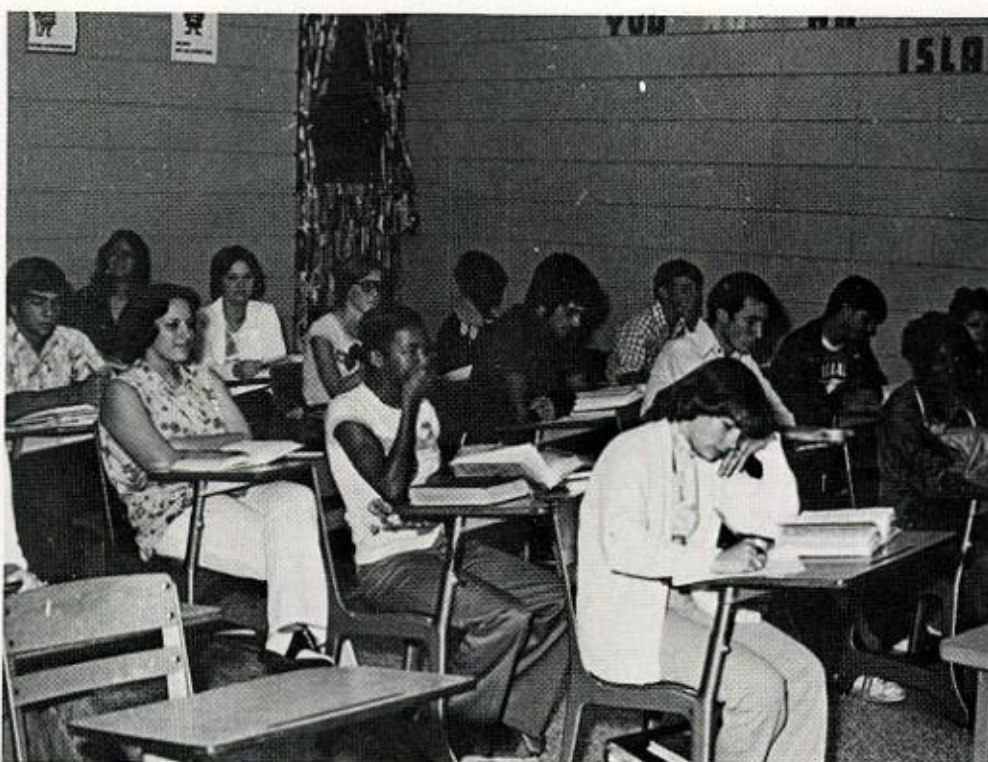
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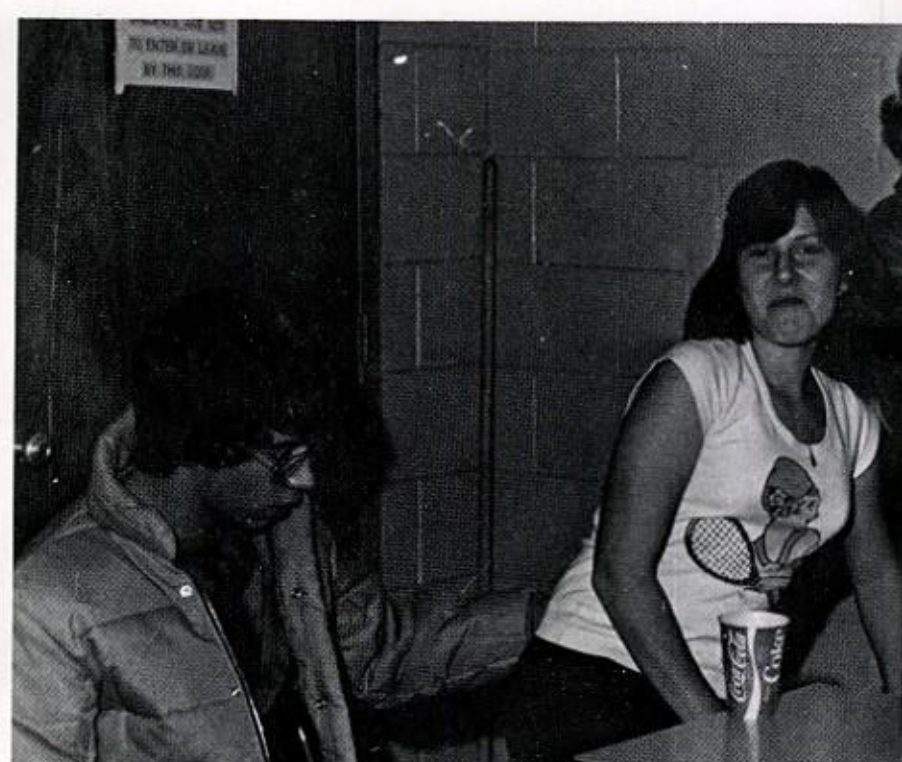
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Gail Hertel
Julie Jeffrey

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Gary Lain

Benny Gutierrez
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Brenda Ledbetter



Juniors learn the mysteries of American literature.



Lynn and Leeia help in the concession stand.



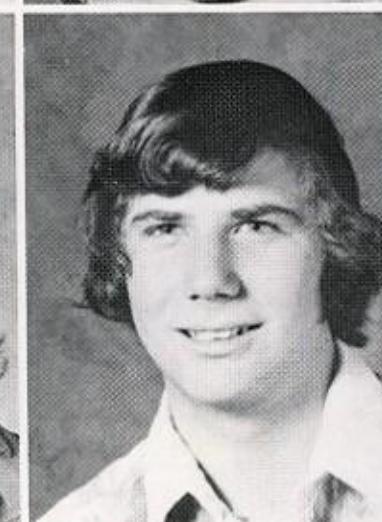
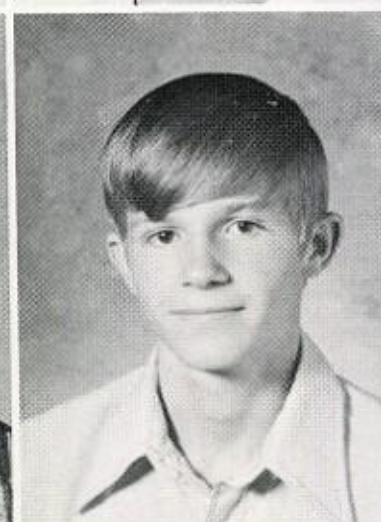
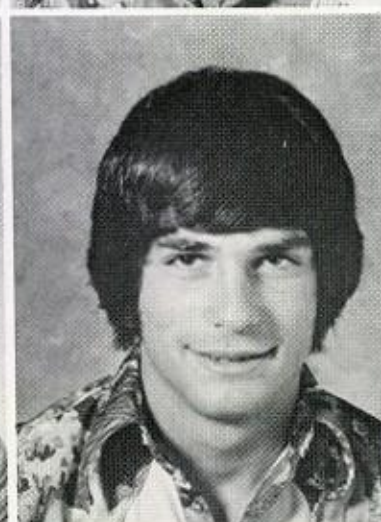
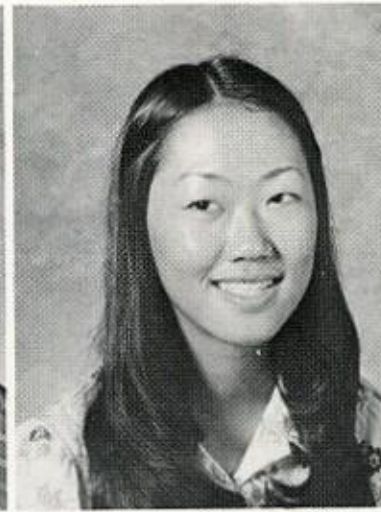
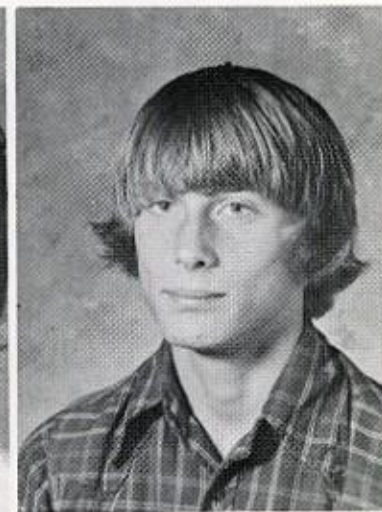
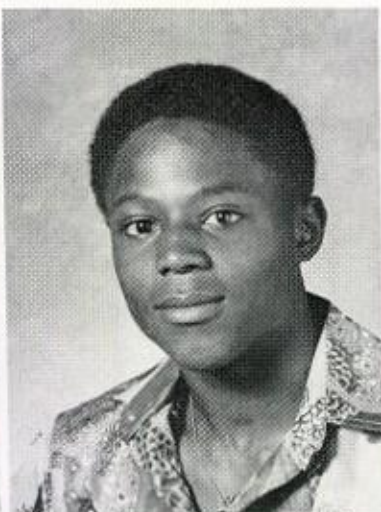
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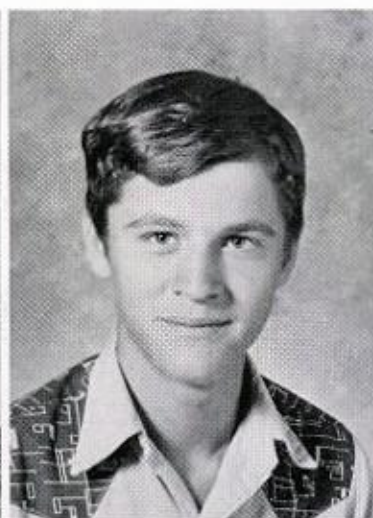
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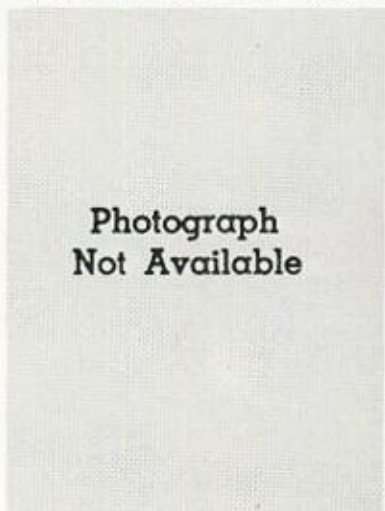
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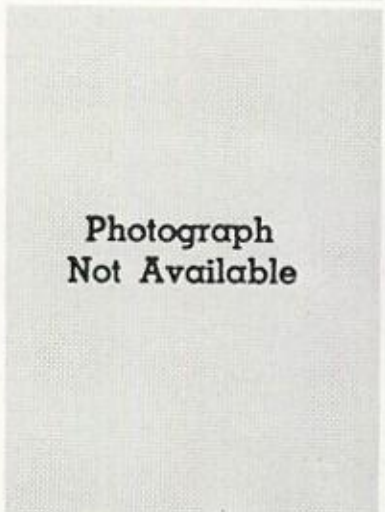
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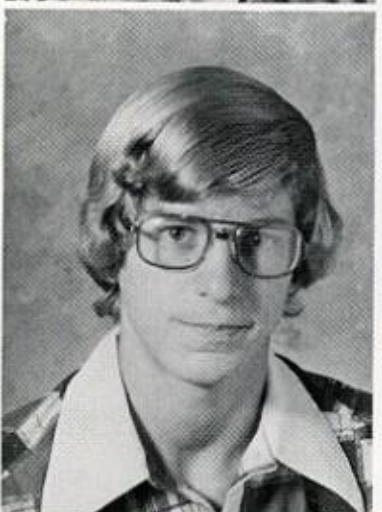
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Darendia Wheat
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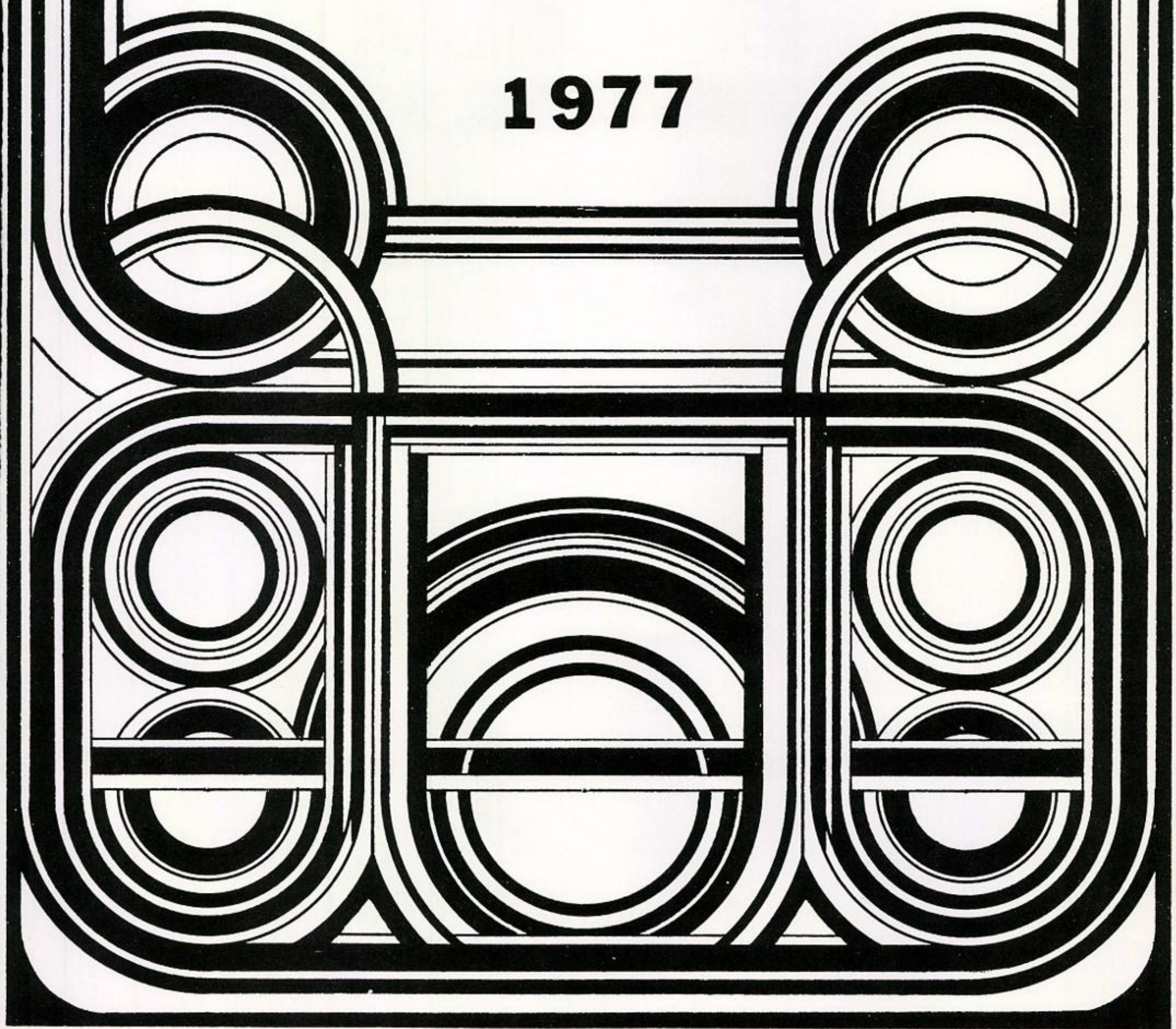


Deborah Williams
Mitch Wilson



SOPHOMORES

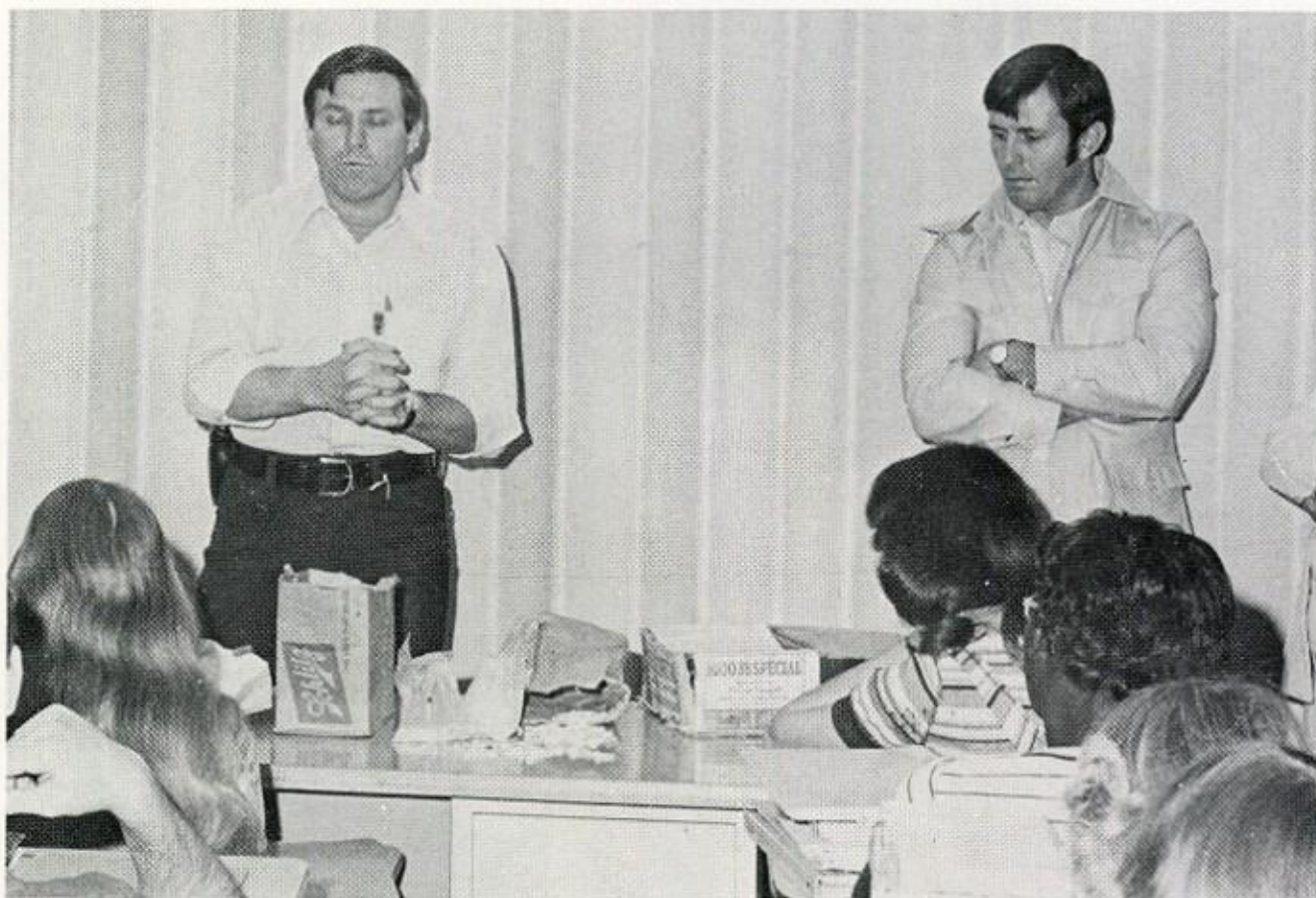
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Vance Leads Sophomores



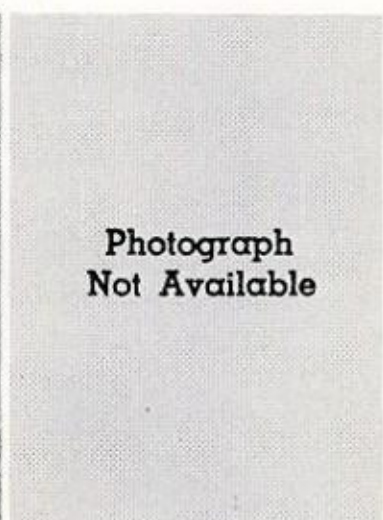
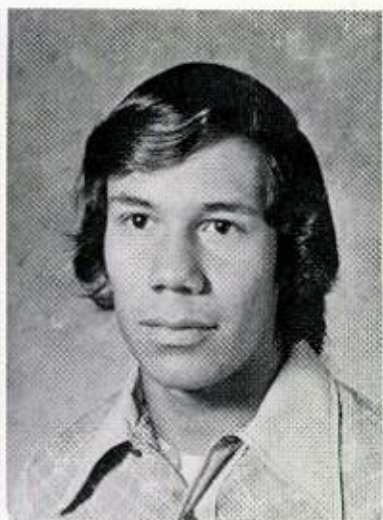
Sophomore Class officers are, left to right, Linda White, treasurer; Stephanie Hymer, secretary; Vance Lakey, president; Waylon Collins, vice president; and Rene Guerra, reporter.



Police Chief Ed Wheat educates Coach Grissom's health class about drugs.

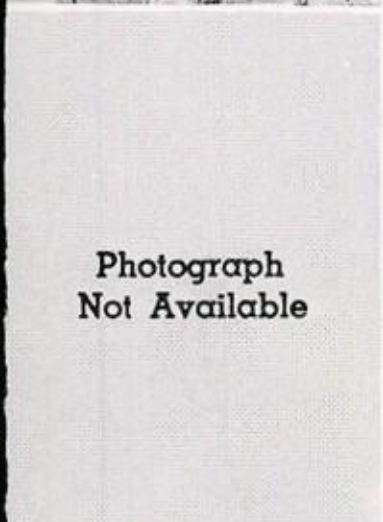
Class parents were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Willingham and Dr. and Mrs. Joe D. Hymer.

Sponsors were Mr. Milburn Wink and Mr. Jimmy Lisle.



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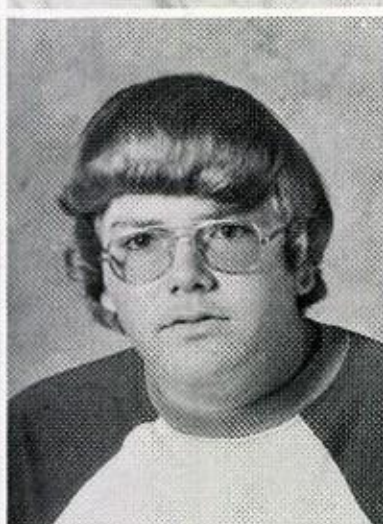
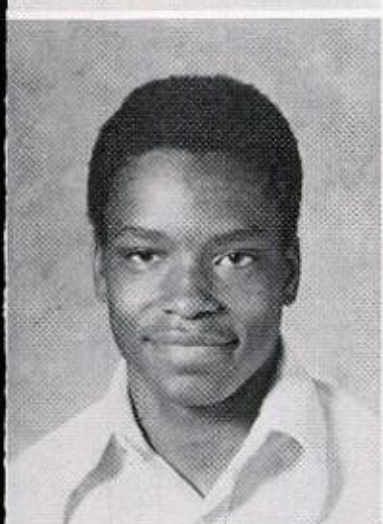
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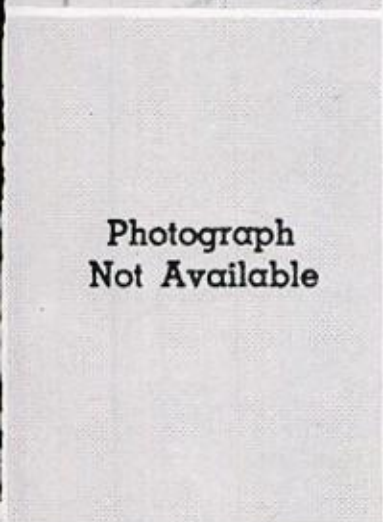
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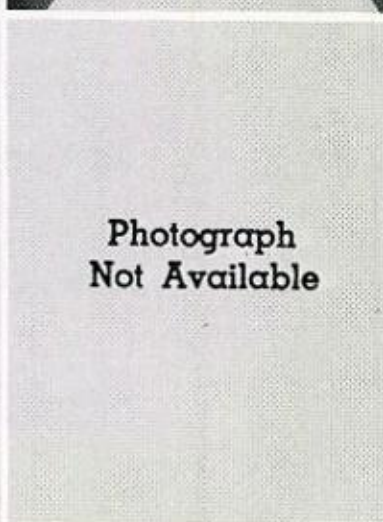
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May Ruth Brown



Ronald Brown
Charles Butler

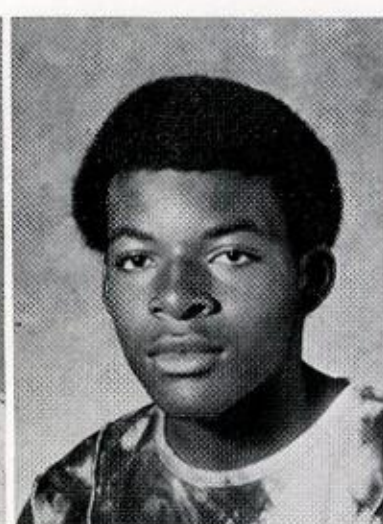
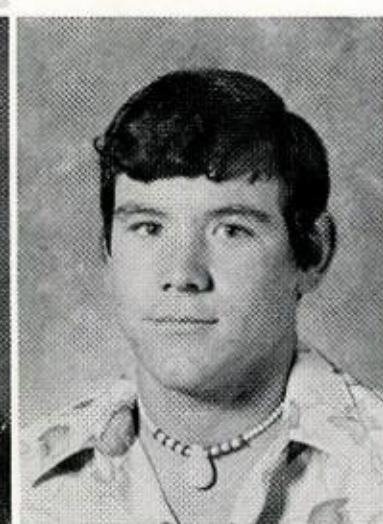


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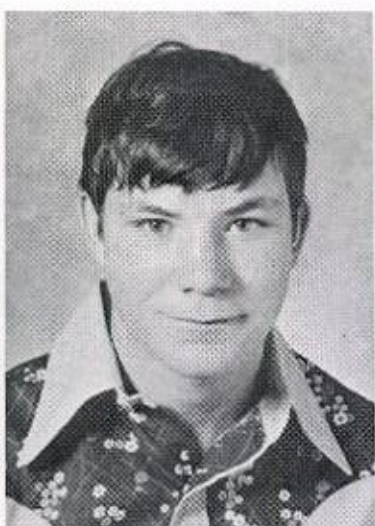
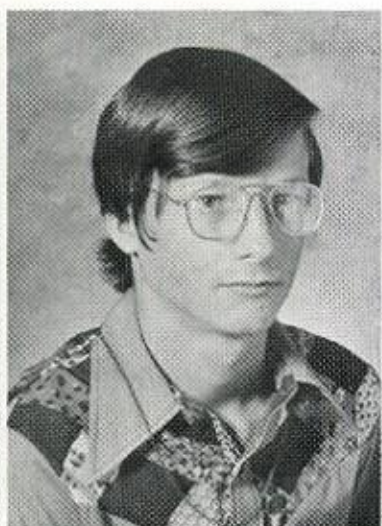
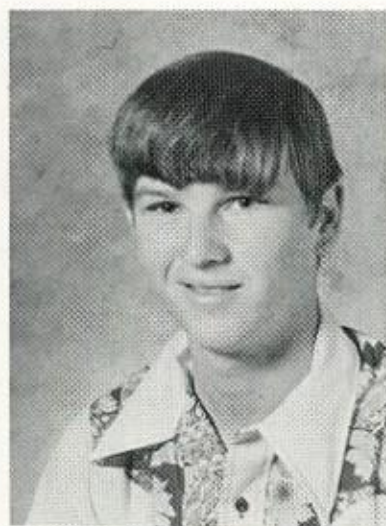


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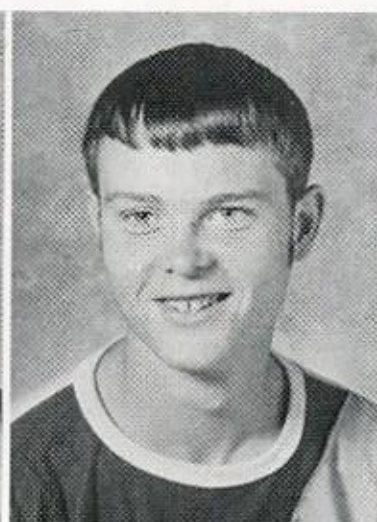
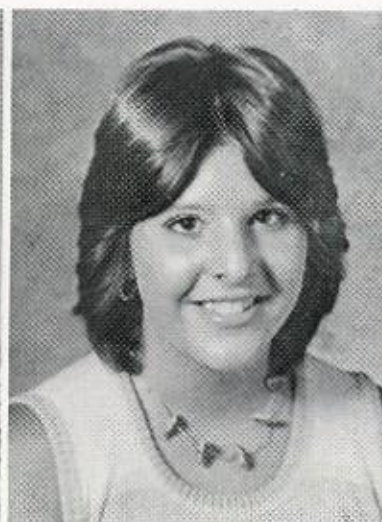
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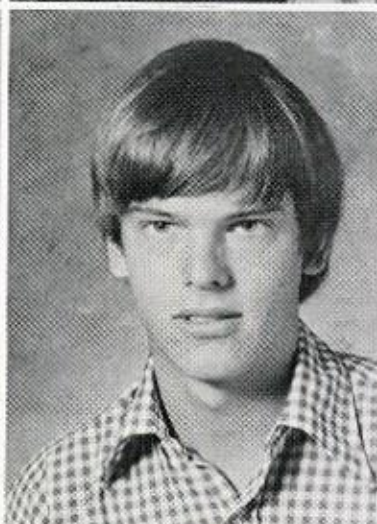
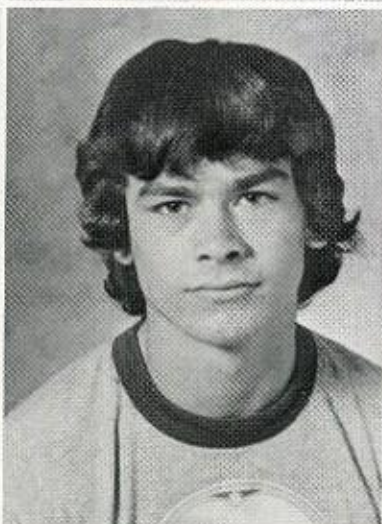
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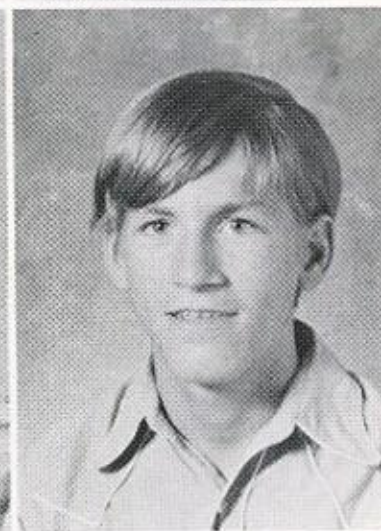
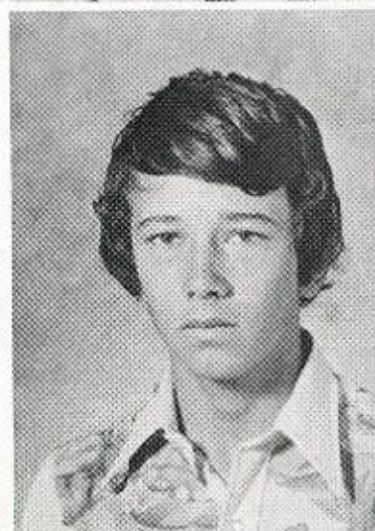
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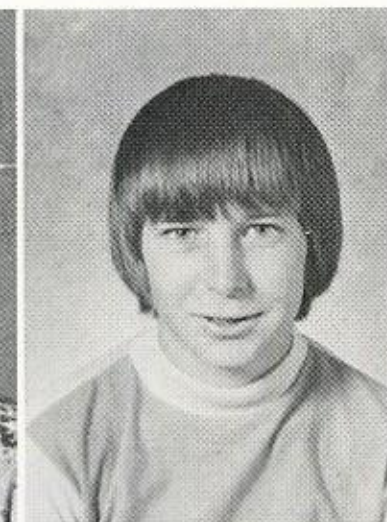
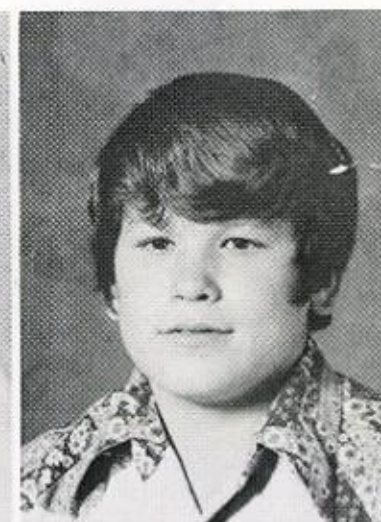
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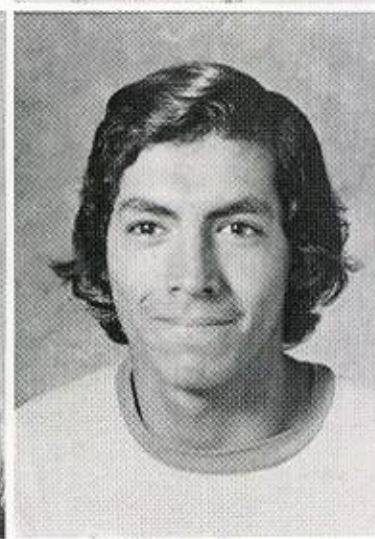
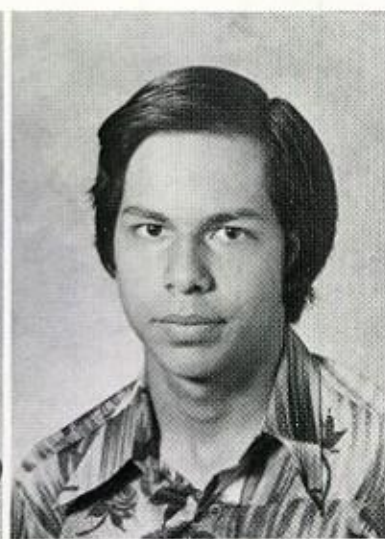
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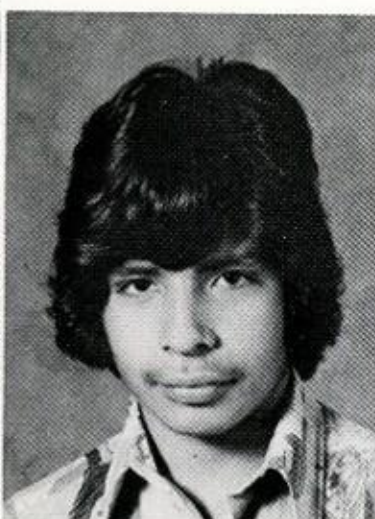
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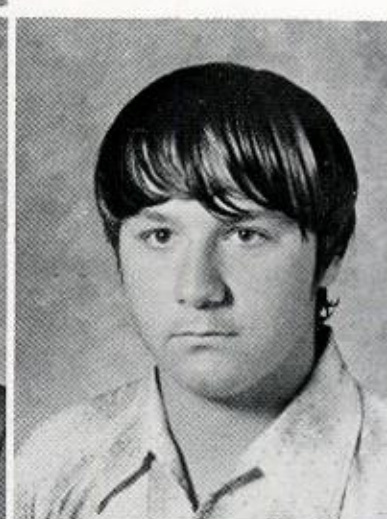




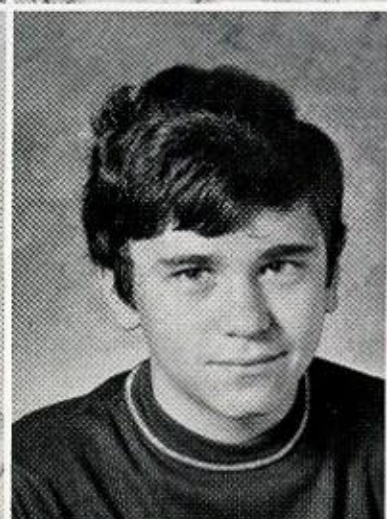
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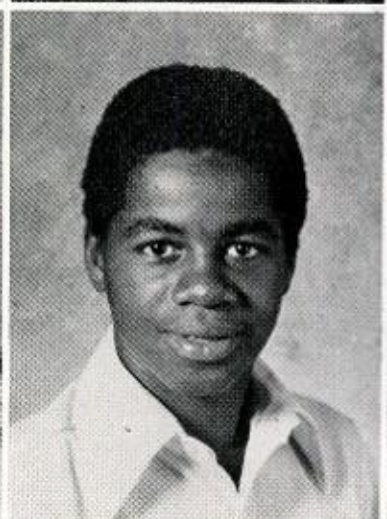
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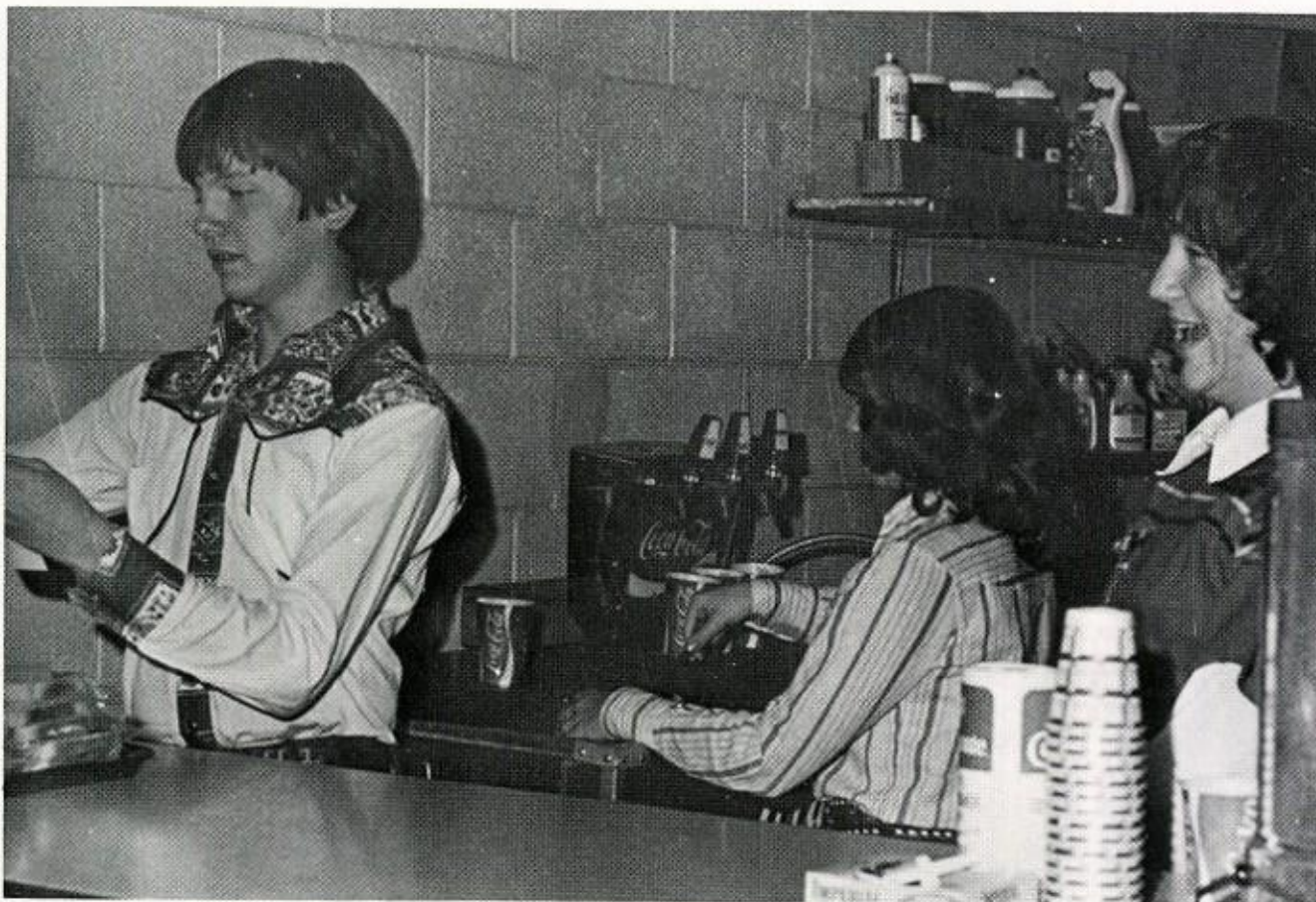
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Freshmen Begin High School Career



1976-77 Freshman Class officers are, left to right, Laurie Willingham, secretary; Lesley Wilson, reporter; Russell Crowley, vice president; Teres McMillen, treasurer; and Donna Bell, president.



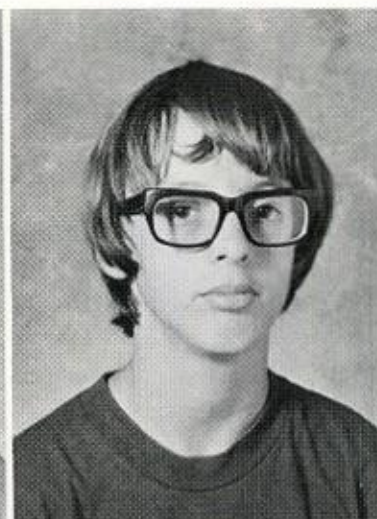
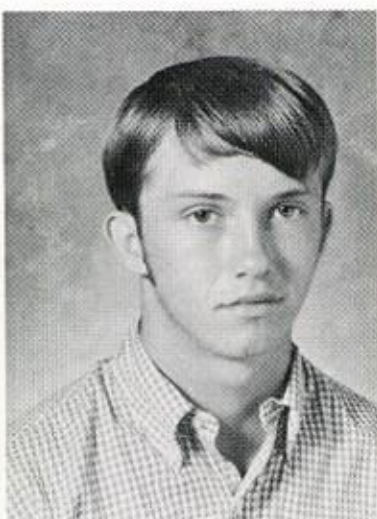
Shanon joins Debbie and Kathy in working in the basketball concession stand to earn funds for the Student Council.

Freshman Class parents for the past year were Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bockmon.

Sponsors were Mr. Keith Barrick and Mr. Larry Bartee.

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Tommy Allen
George Arce
Jim Austin

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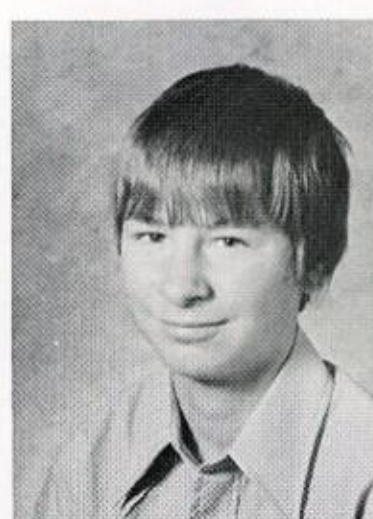
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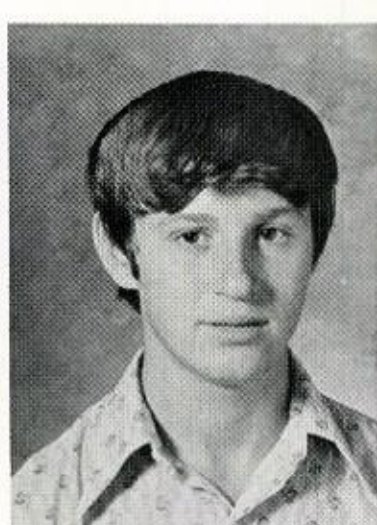
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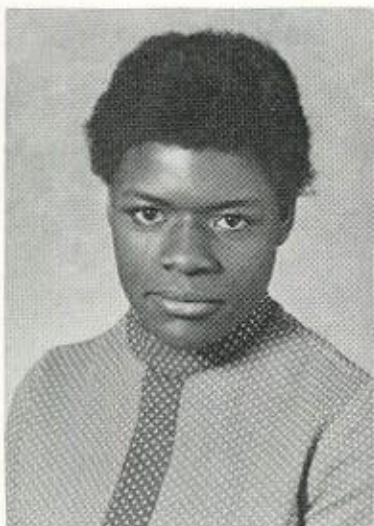


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Donna Bell



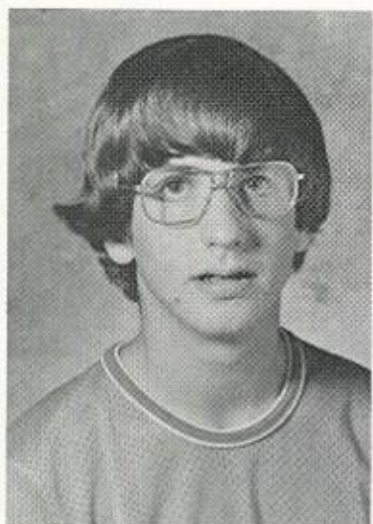
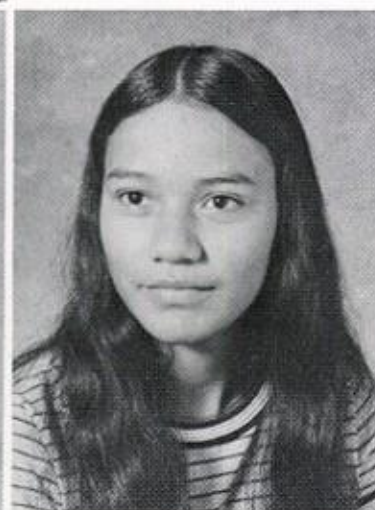
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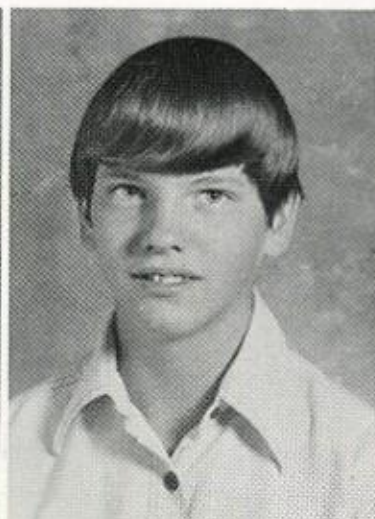
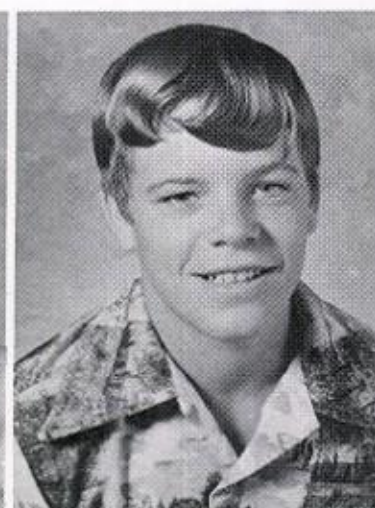
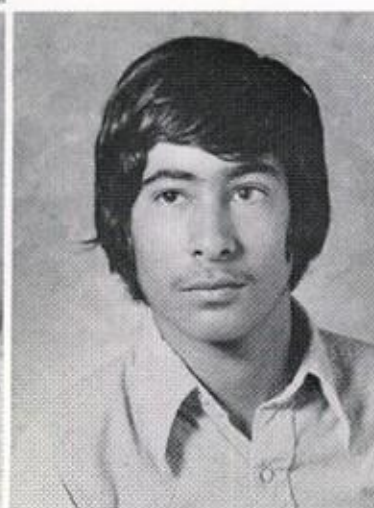
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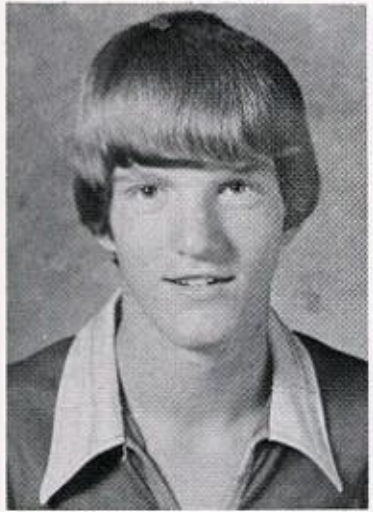
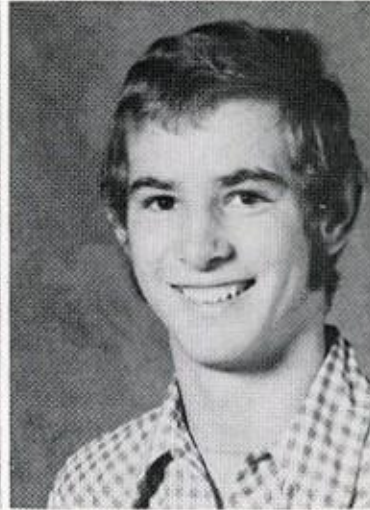
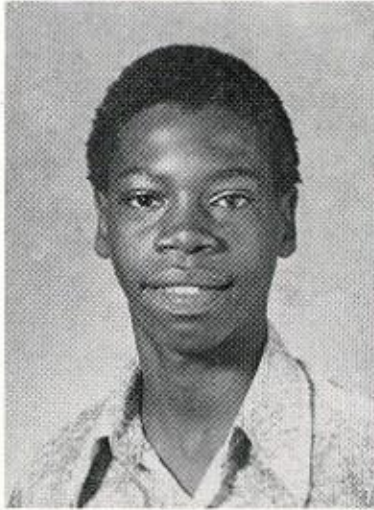


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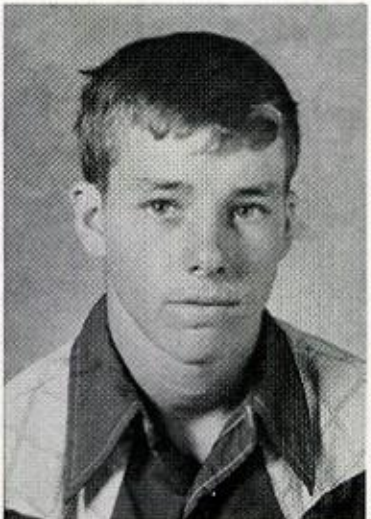
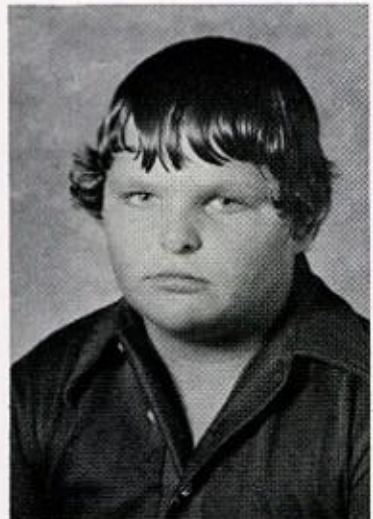
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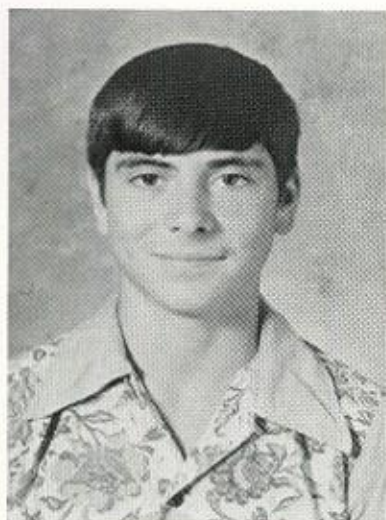


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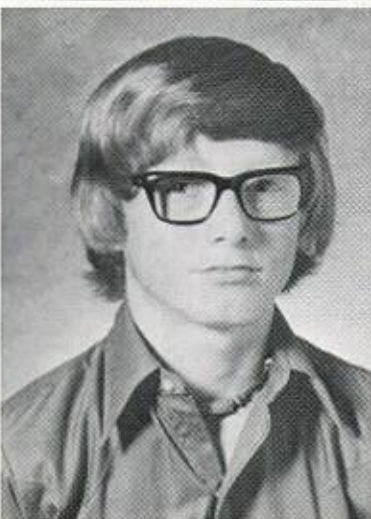
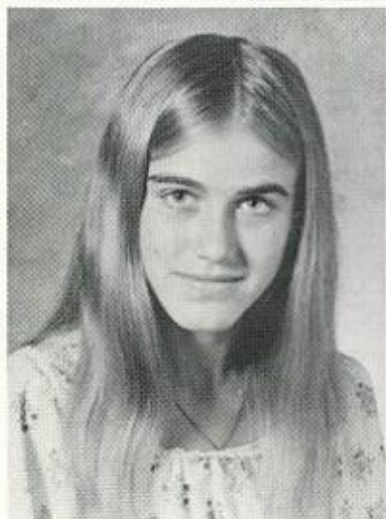
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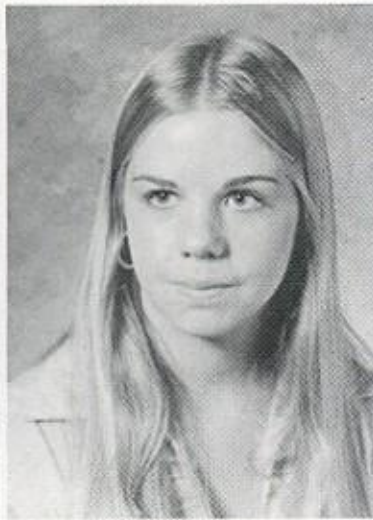
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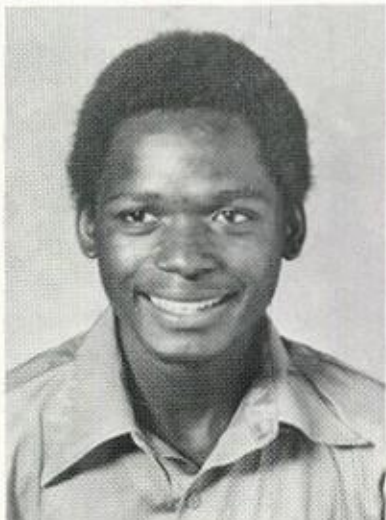
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JUNIOR HIGH

1977



8th Graders Enter New Middle School

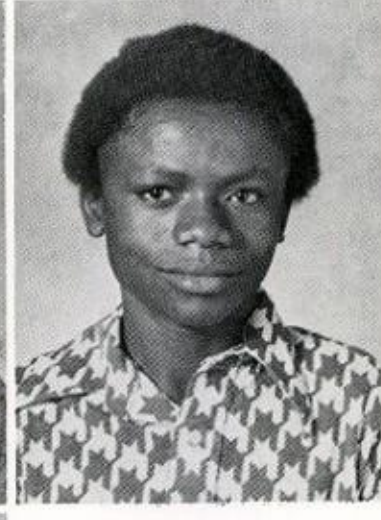


Eighth grade class officers are, left to right, Araceli Martinez, secretary; Mike Davis, reporter; Mariam Martinez, president; Kathy Prewit, vice president; and not pictured, Travis Lain, treasurer.

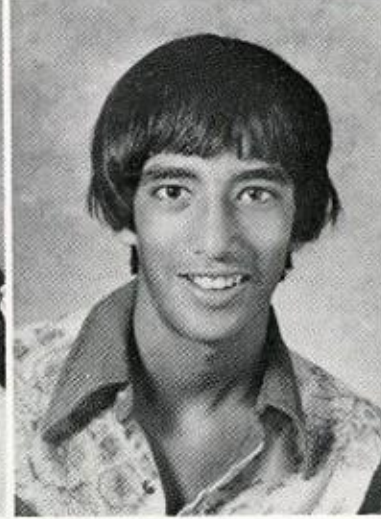
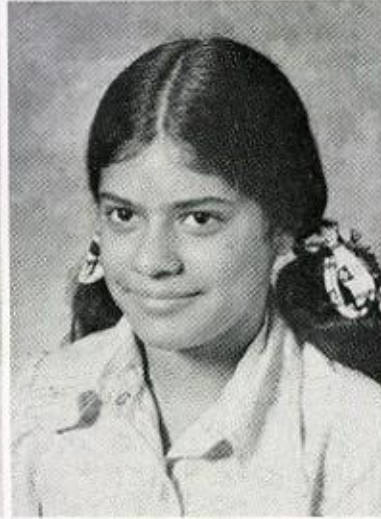


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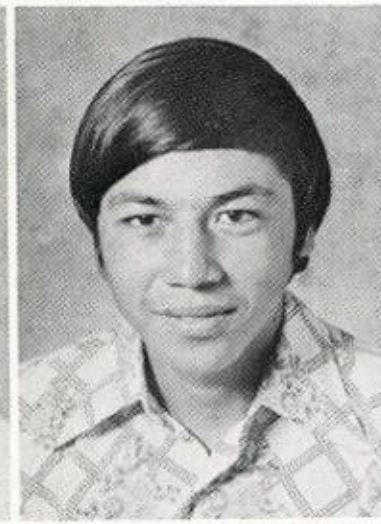
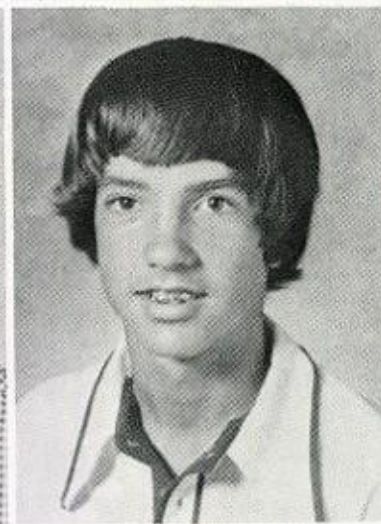
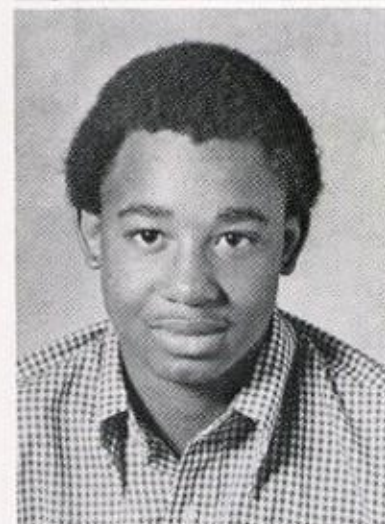
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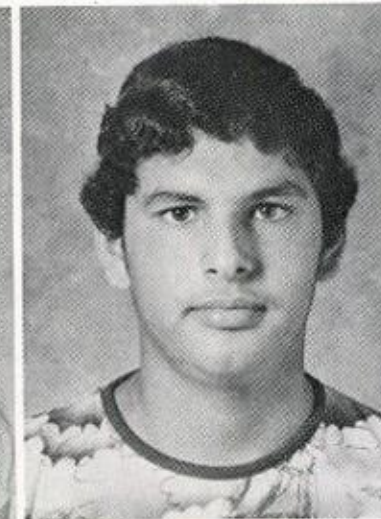
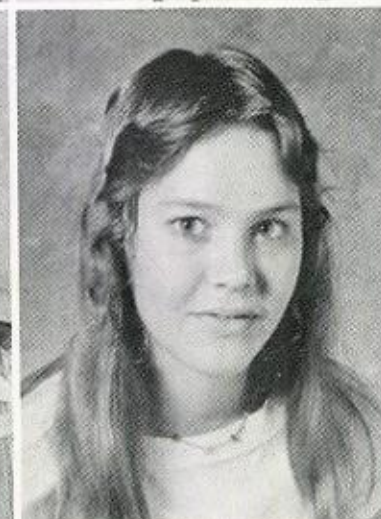
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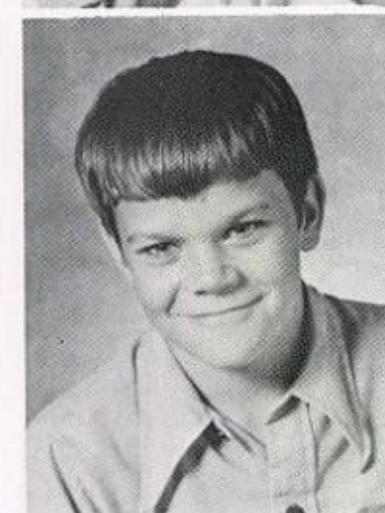
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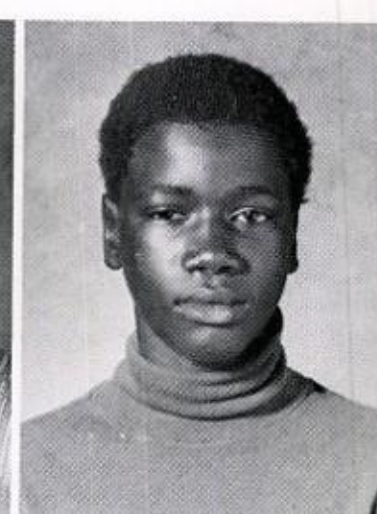
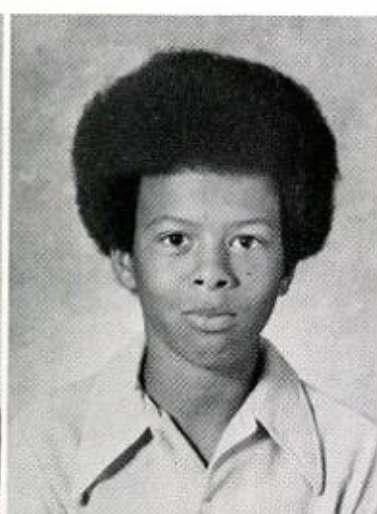


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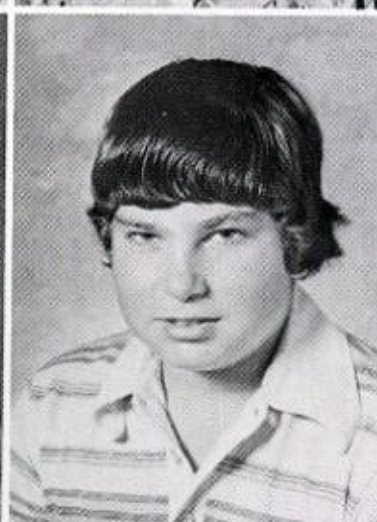


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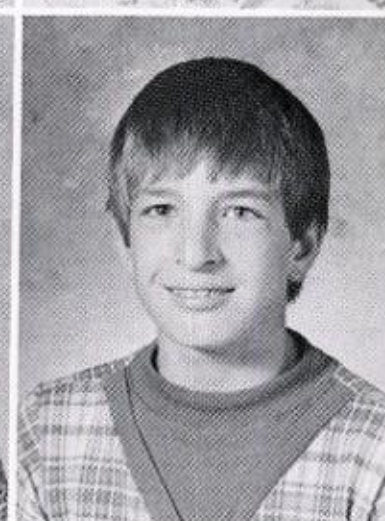
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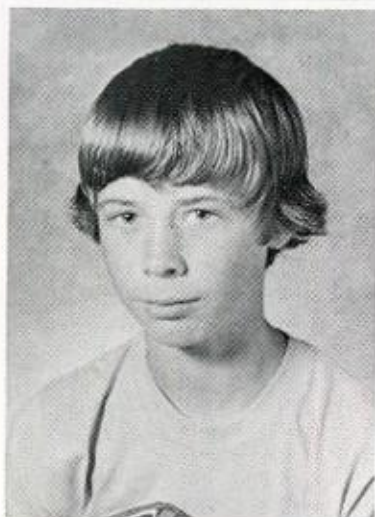
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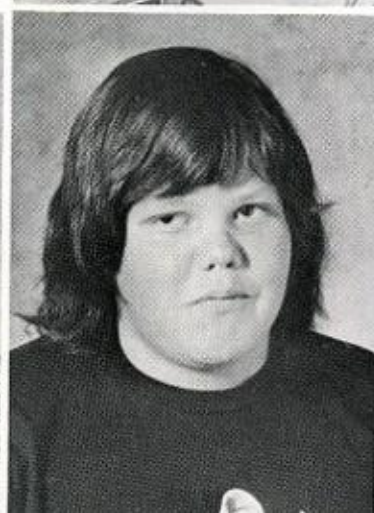
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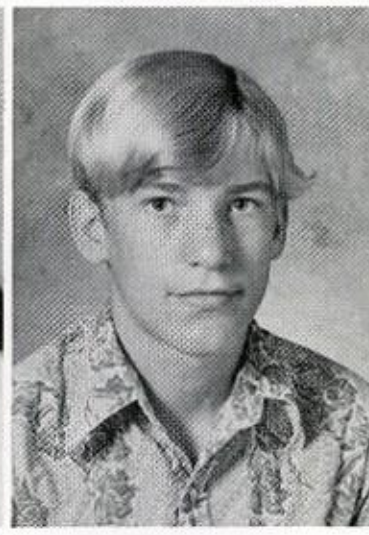


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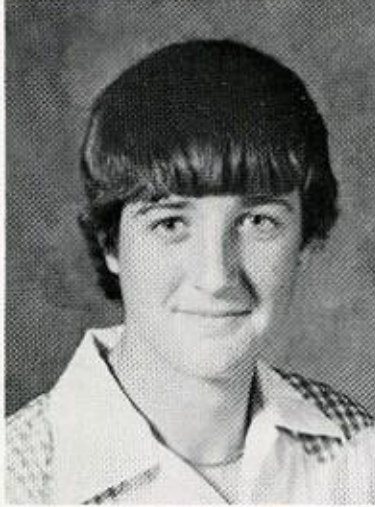
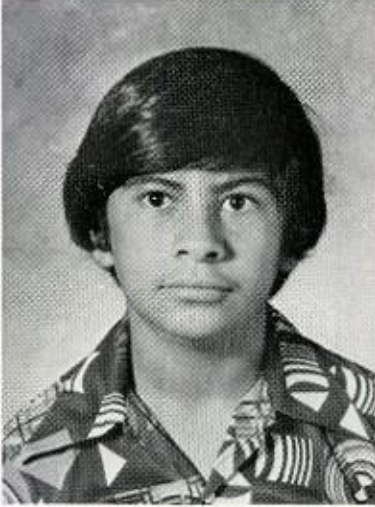


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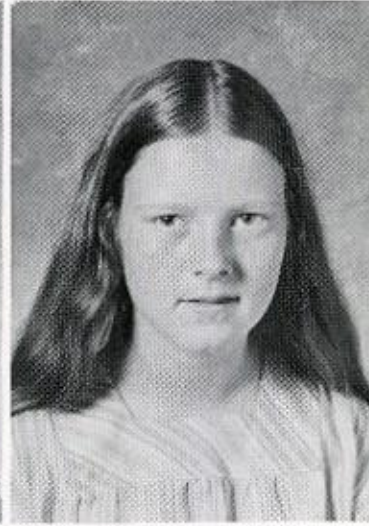
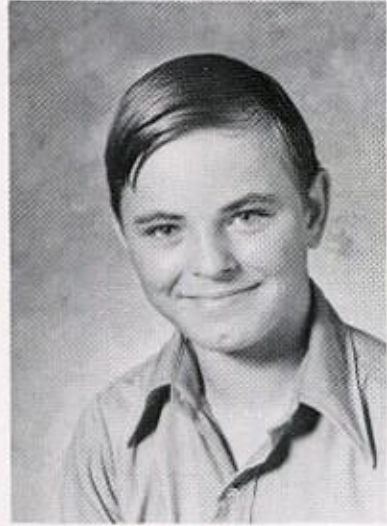




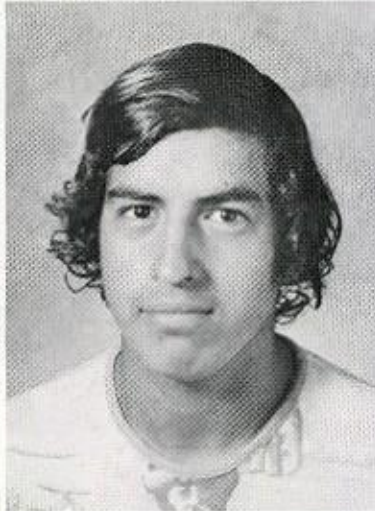
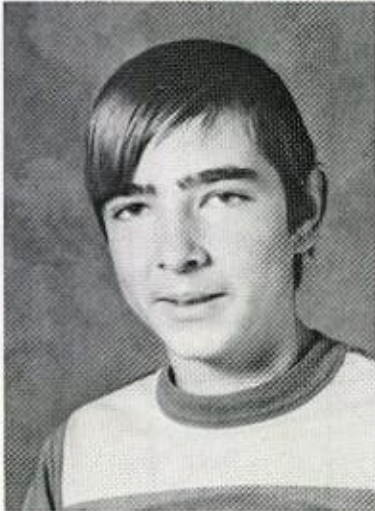
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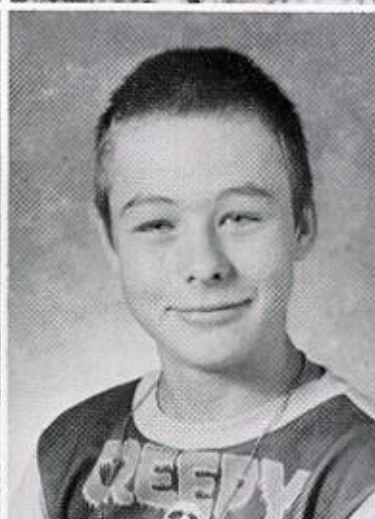
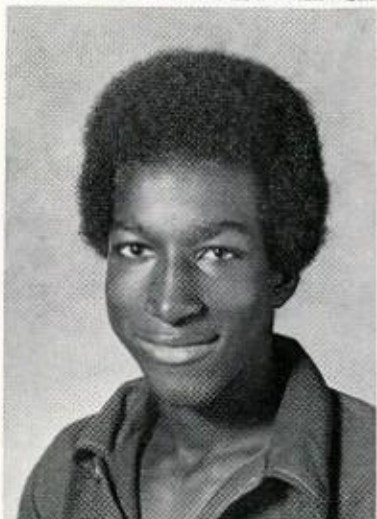


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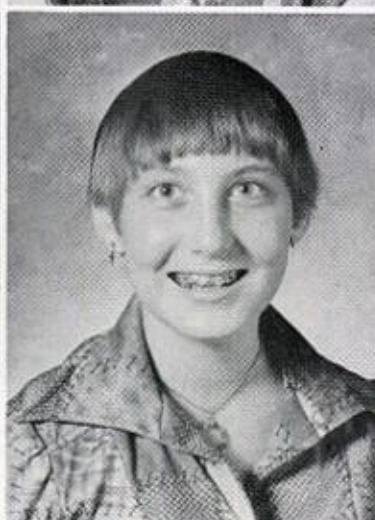
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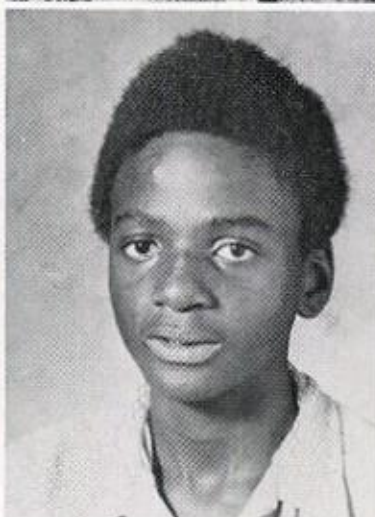
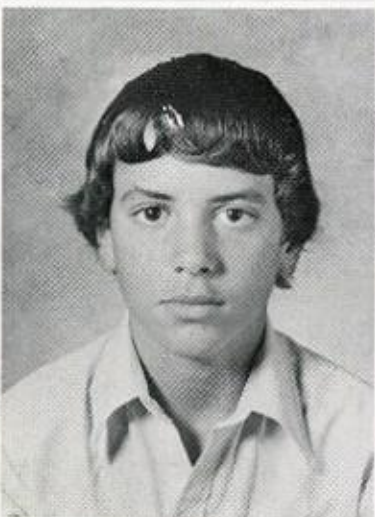
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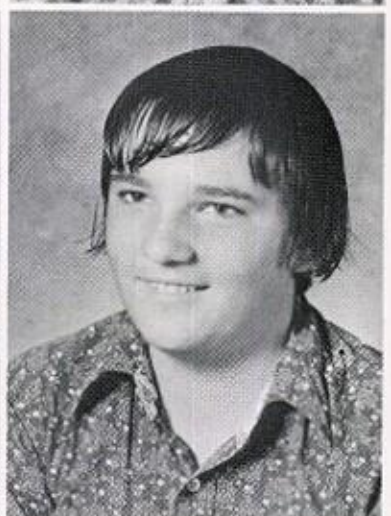
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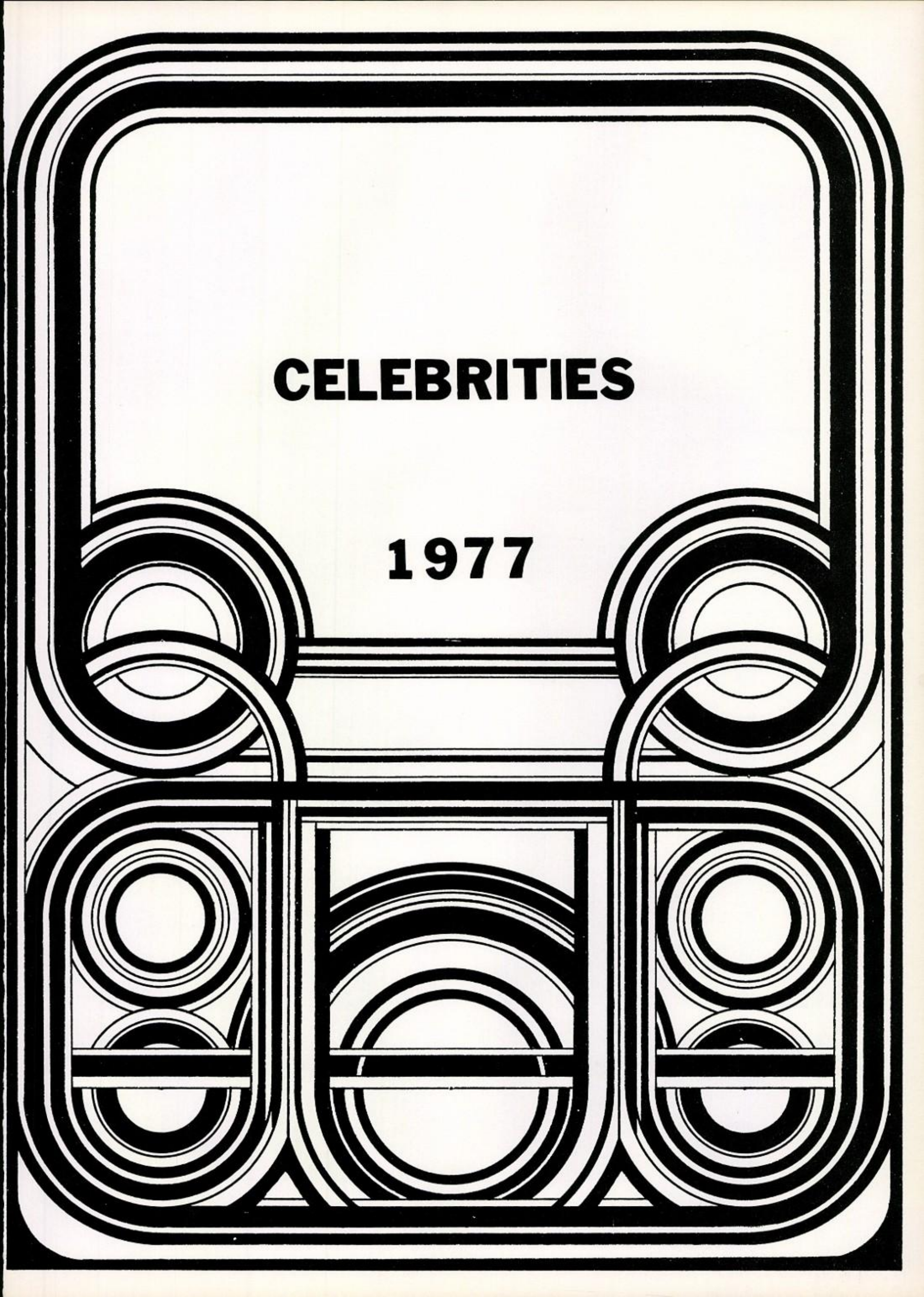


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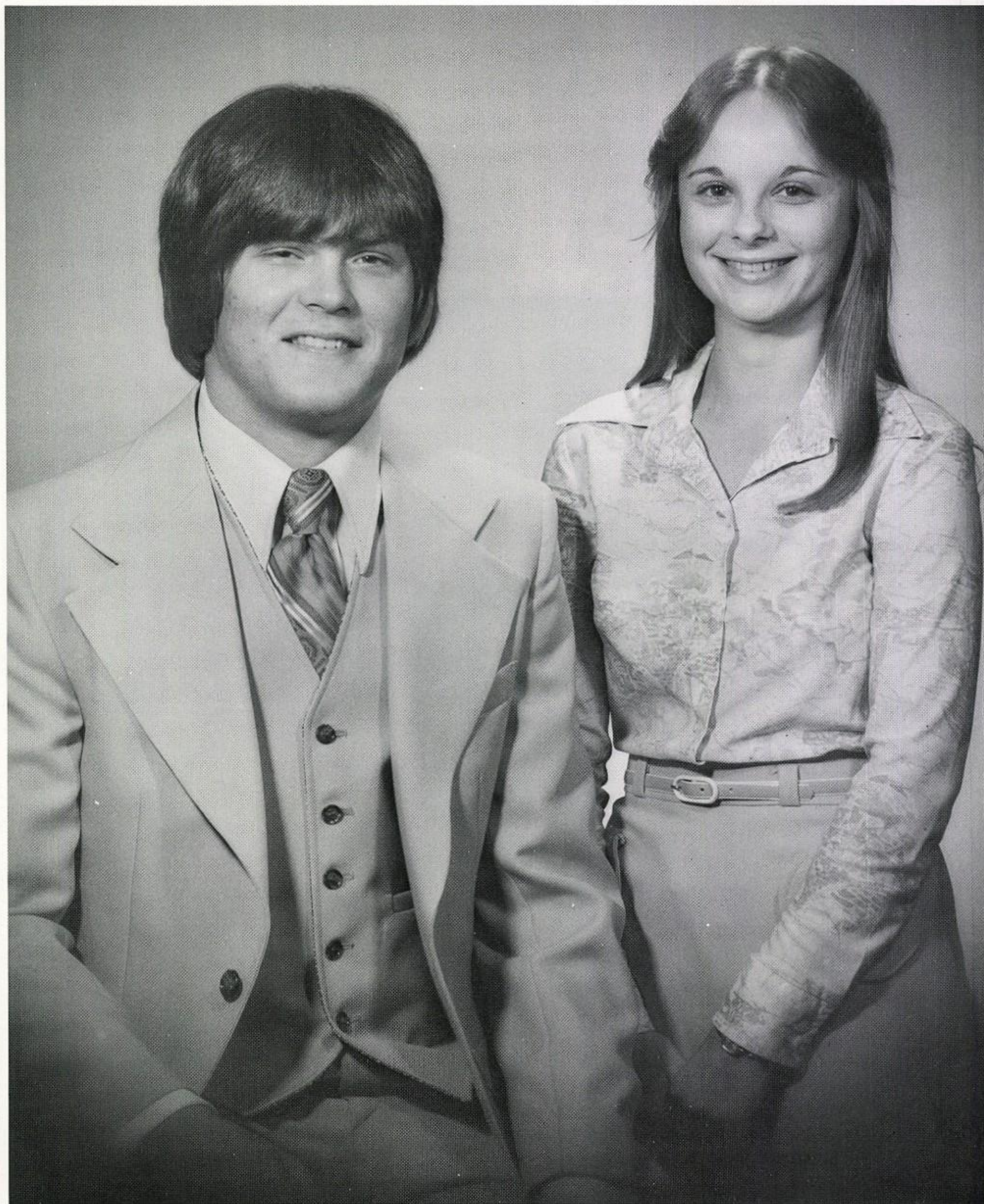


CELEBRITIES

1977



Mr. and Miss H. H. S.



Allen Young

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Citizens of the Year



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Piper Queen
Elise Kelley

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Tracy Offield
Junior



Jamie Jones
Sophomore

Laurie Willingham
Freshman



The Piper Queen is selected annually from five candidates representing the five classes. The winner is chosen from the class having the greatest percentage of sales of the Piper. The Senior Class, with 82% of its members buying annuals, is proud to have their nominee, Elise Kelley, as Piper Queen. Congratulations, Elise!

Pam Thornton
8th Grade





Homecoming Queen
Elise Kelley

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Coming Home Queen
Minnie Barnett Willingham

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Delbert and Carrie



Senior Favorites

Debbie and Mac



Junior Favorites

Julie and Ronald



Sophomore Favorites

Geneva and Delger



Freshman Favorites

Joe Don and Lorna



8th Grade Favorites

ORGANIZATIONS

1977



National Honor Society

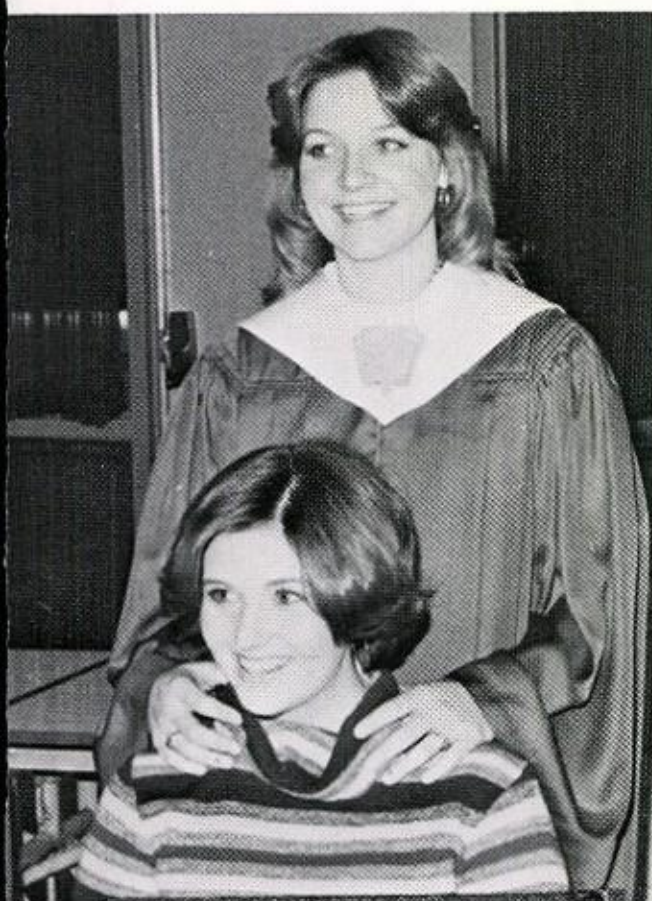


The 1976-77 NHS members are, left to right bottom row, Elise Kelley, Sherry Carter, Wayne Wheat, Paul Reynolds, Mike Hymer and Julie Jeffrey; and top row, Tracy Gregory, Linda Marcom, Treva Pettit, Kayla Mehaffey, Cheryl Baker, Leeia Phariss, Jami Crowley and Mrs. Sharp, sponsor. Denice Haught is not pictured.



The new NHS members are, left to right, Jami Crowley, Leeia Phariss, Julie Jeffrey, Paul Reynolds, Wayne Wheat, Tracy Gregory and Mike Hymer.

The NHS officers are: Treva Pettit, treasurer; Kayla Mehaffey, reporter; Cheryl Baker, vice president; Elise Kelley, president; Sherrie Carter, secretary; and not pictured Denice Haught, historian.



Julie Jeffrey is selected by Cheryl Baker.



Leeia Phariss is chosen by Kayla Mehaffey.



National Honor Society members "unrobe" after the induction.

Hamlin High Student Council



Student Council members include, left to right and front row, Cheryl Baker, Lorna Phariss, Kathy Prewit, Gayla Bockmon, and Stephanie Haught; middle row, Julie Jeffrey, Edwin Wheat, Shanon Hinkle, Mark Carter, Gregg Bessire, Kelly Ferguson, Lisa Howard, and Barbara Hooper; and back row, Jamie Jones, Jan Ford, Jami Crowley, Debbie Hargrove, Russell Crowley, Julie Willingham, Drew Tomlinson, Lynn Davis and Stephanie Hymer.



Student Council officers for the 1976-77 year were Jan Ford, reporter; Julie Jeffrey, vice president; Drew Tomlinson, treasurer; Cheryl Baker, president; and Jamie Jones, secretary.

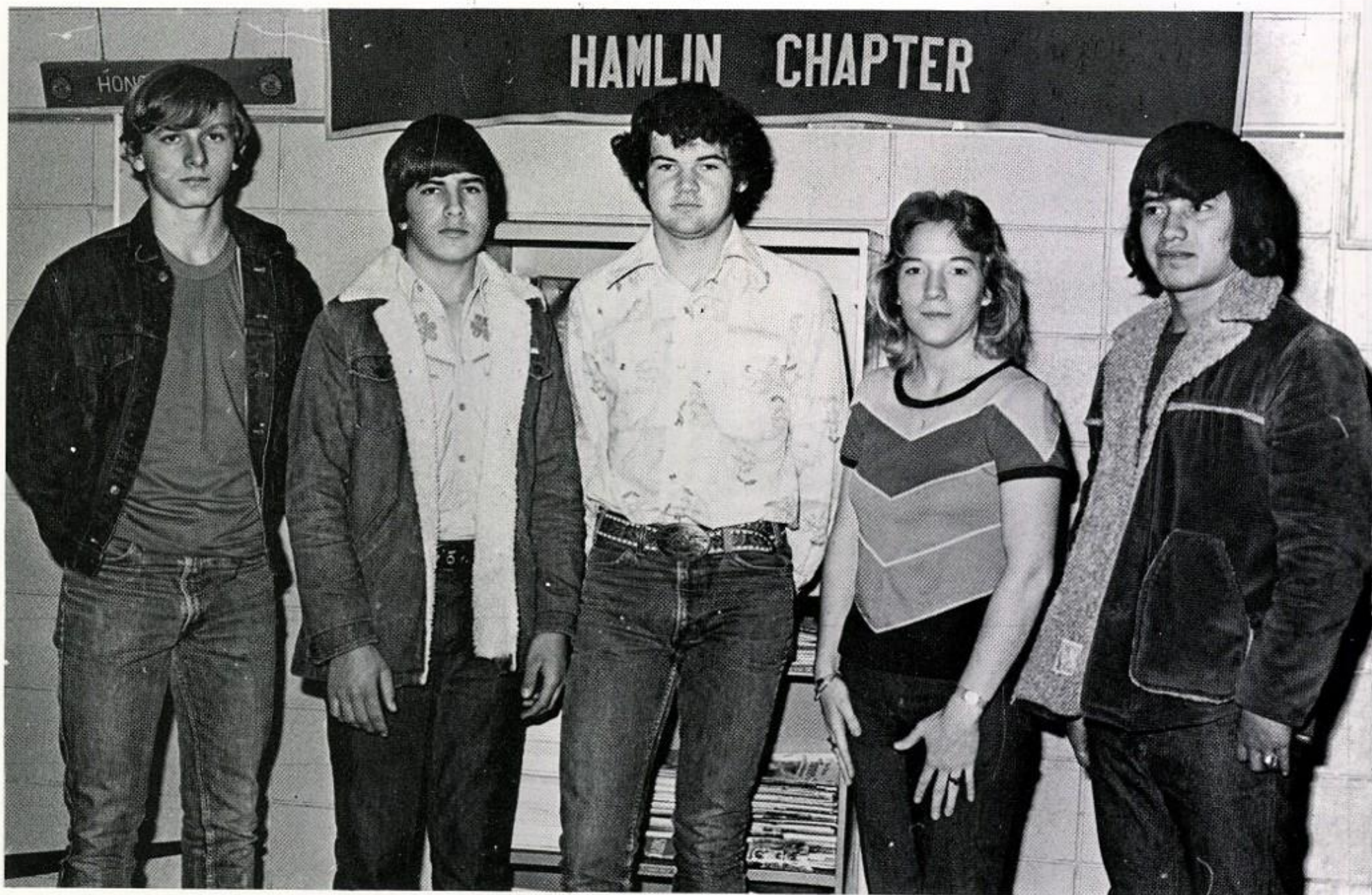
Youth Leadership Team Organized



The Youth Leadership Team is a group of students who visit the different schools, council the other students to help them with any problems they may have and help them to be more open with people.

This year's group consists of, from left to right and top row, Steve Contreras, Tomas Gonzalez, Paul Reynolds, Roger Gonzalez, Allen Young and Mark Carter; second row, Steve Campbell, Todd Marshall, Barbara Hooper, Melinda Johnson, Jami Crowley, Leeia Phariss, Teresa McMillen, Linda Marcom, Olivia Marshall and Jan Ford; third row, Geneva Shelton, Laurie Willingham, Irma Gonzalez, Lorna Phariss, Jena Marshall, Miriam Martinez and Areceli Martinez; and bottom row, Stephanie Hymer, May Ruth Brown, Charlie Smith and Gordon Roberts. The sponsors are Sammy Ferguson and Sue Flores.

Future Farmers of America Make



FFA officers for 1976-77 are, left to right, Vance Lakey, reporter; Gary Lain, secretary; Mark Carter, vice president; Carrie May, president; and Ben Gonzalez, sentinel. Not shown is treasurer Guy Turner.



First year students "play farmer" as Mr. Wink supervises the plowing.



Carrie was selected FFA Sweetheart this school year.

Feeders and Basketball Trophies

Third-year students demonstrate the safe use of machinery. They are, left to right, Gary Lain, Rickey Goodgame, Dwain Miller, Russ Lakey, Carrie May, Curtis White, Kayla Lehaffey, Tracy Gregory, Mike Corley and Ben Gonzalez.



Left to right, Terry Bailey, Kelly Offield, Shane Hinkle, Donnie Gardner, Mark Carter, Joe Creason, Vance Lakey, Eddie Ribera, Joe Smith and Waylon Collins are second-year future farmers making cattle feeders.

First-year students proudly displaying "toys of their trade" are, left to right, John Gardner, Greg Allen, Sherman Bates, Carl Pyron, James Beasley, Russell Crowley, Neal Baker, Ricky Lawlis, Gayla Bockmon, Jamie Woods, Sharla Turner and sponsor Mr. Milburn Wink.



Future Homemakers of America



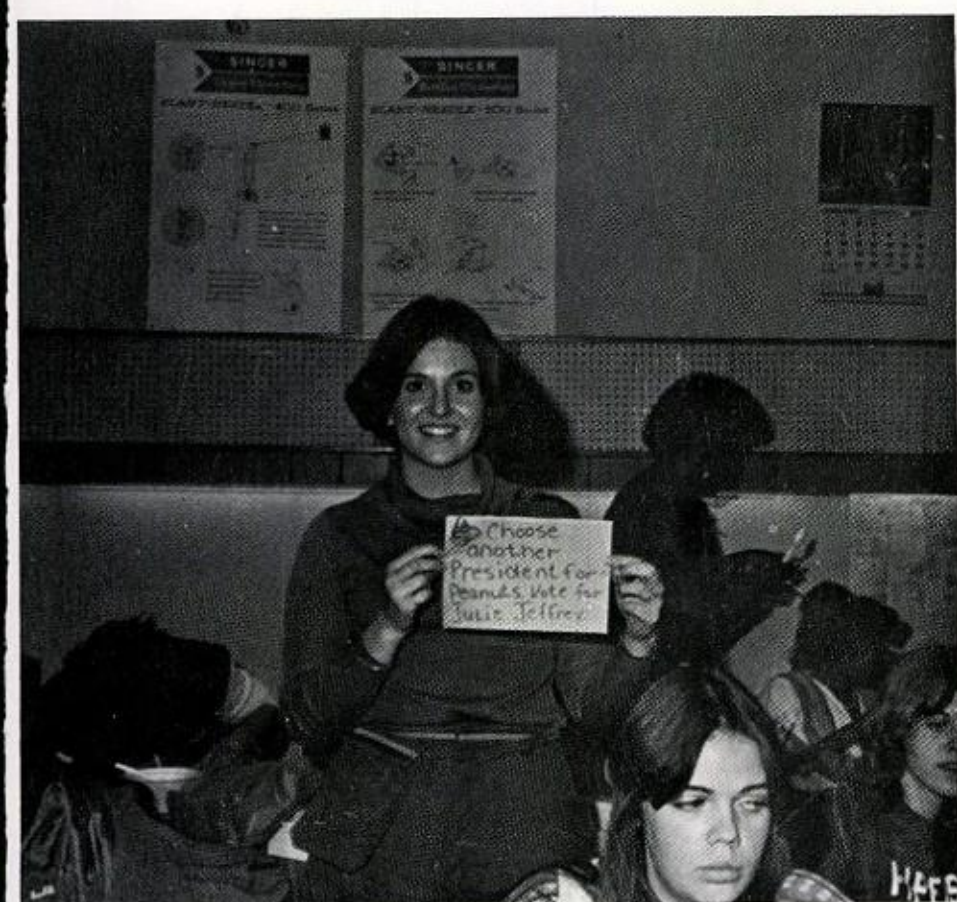
FHA members include, left to right, Lesley Wilson, Elise Kelley, Faye Cork, Leeia Phariss, Jami Crowley, Pam Absher, Janice Cork, Jan Ford, Debbie Hargrove, Lisa Howard, Tonya Harugthy, Alison Clem, Barbara Hooper, DeDe Young, Joy Horton, Julie Jeffrey, Stephanie Hymer, Linda Marcom, Linda White, and sponsor Mrs. Edith Carter.



FHA officers are, front row and left to right, DeDe Young, first vice president; Lisa Howard, secretary; Pam Absher, third vice president; Leeia Phariss, sergeant-at-arms; Jan Ford, president; and top row, Stephanie Hymer, parliamentarian; Debbie Hargrove, fourth vice president; Linda Marcom, pianist; Julie Jeffrey, fifth vice president; Elise Kelley, second vice president; and not pictured, Donna Pyron, historian.

DeDe and Allen Honored at Banquet

DeDe Young was named FHA Sweetheart and Allen Young FHA Beau during the Future Homemakers of America Banquet in the high school cafetorium Feb. 14.



Julie displays the slogan that helped her be elected FHA president for next year.



FHA meetings in the sewing lab are a flurry of activity.

Los Matadores



Spanish Club members are, left to right and front row, Tommie Mayes, Irma Gonzalez, Kayla Mehaffey, and sponsor Miss Sue Flores; and back row, Rene Guerra, Carl Shearer, Randall Lewis, Wayne Wheat and Dwain Miller.



The 1976-77 officers are, left to right, Tommie Mayes, secretary; Kayla Mehaffey, president; Randall Lewis, reporter; and Carl Shearer, vice president. Not pictured is Guy Turner, treasurer.

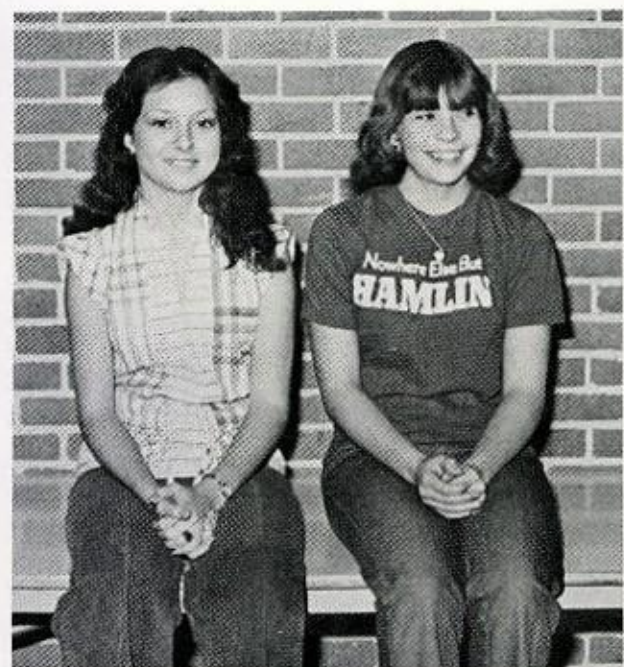
Pipers' Pride Grows In Second Year



Journalism members who comprised the PIPERS' PRIDE staff are, left to right and front row, Tommy Maberry, Jim Ledbetter, Jeff Witt, John Bruton, Roger Gonzalez, Lynn Davis, Mike Hymer, Mack Lee, Shanon Hinkle and Nickey Bond; middle row, Janice Cork, Stephanie Haught, Tracy Gregory, Denice Haught, Carrie May, Tonya Harugthy, Debbie Hargrove, Jami Crowley, DeDe Young, and Elise Kelley; and back row, Earnest Taliaferro, Stanley Jones, Mike Corley, Mary Gonzalez, Brenda Ledbetter, Tracy Offield, Gail Hertel, Gayleta Flowers, Theresa Bates and Rhonda Hudgins. Not pictured are Donna Pyron, Pat Harper, Rhonda Hart, Paula Lakey, Alex Mendoza, Jessie Ribera and Arlen Woolf.



Sectional editors include DeDe, news; Rhonda, features; Mack, boys sports; and Denice, girls sports.

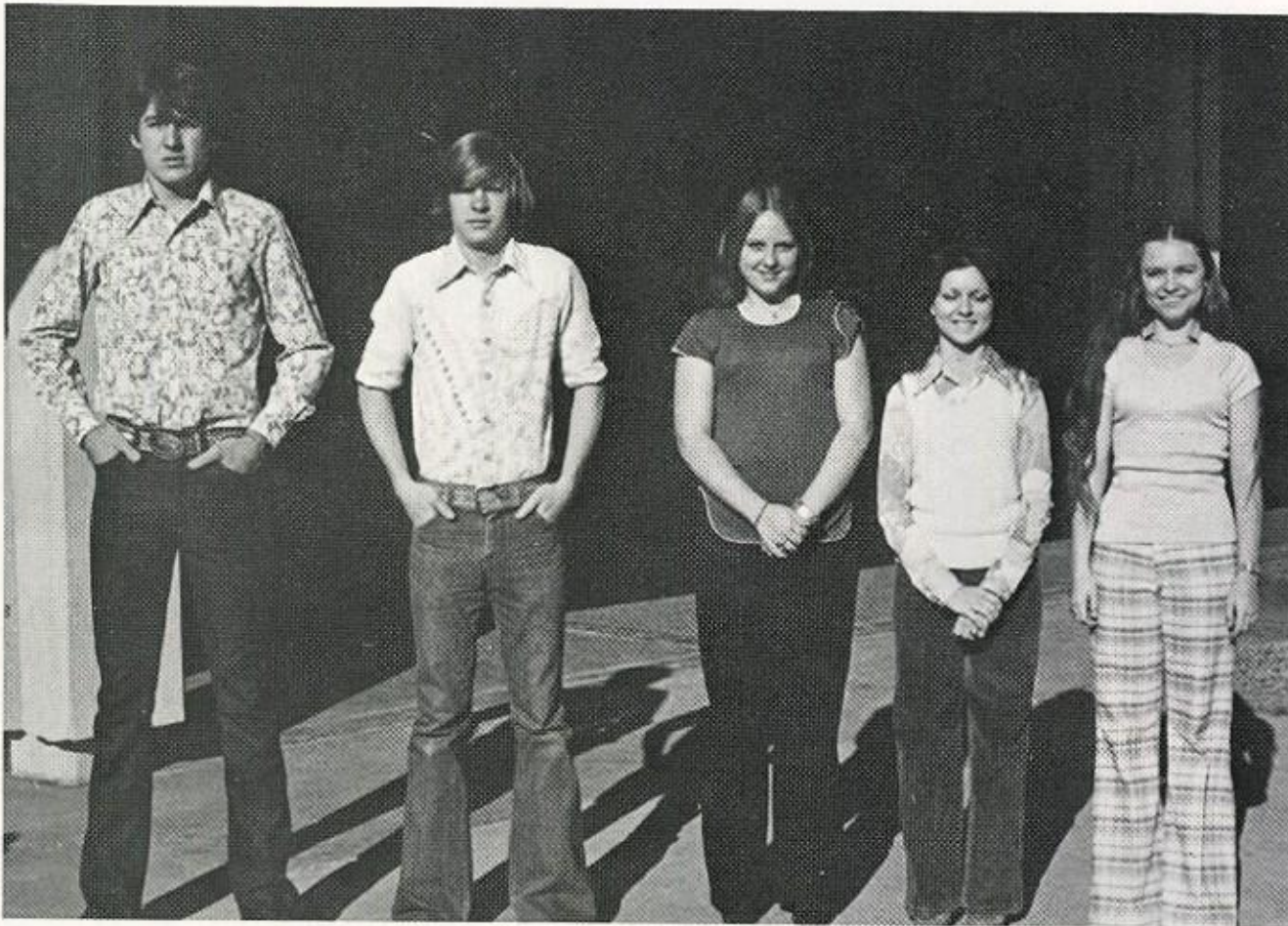


Donna and Debbie served as co-editors of the 1976-77 edition of the school newspaper. In its second year of restoration the PIPERS' PRIDE joined the ILPC and published eight issues, including special papers for Valentine's Day and April Fool's Day.

DECA Sends Two to State Contest



1976-77 DECA members include, left to right and front row, Dora Romero, Rhonda Hart, Theresa Bates, Pam Pritchard, Rhonda Hudgins, Erma Hunter, Gayleta Flowers and Olivia Marshall; middle row, Delbert Thompson, Charles Brown, Ben Gonzalez, Danny Maxwell, Ronald Crouch, Russell Cary and Danny Johnston; and back row, Mr. Carlton Taylor, Linda White, Allison Clem, Irma Gonzalez, Mary Gonzalez, Audrey Hart, Donna Pyron and Dawn Patterson.

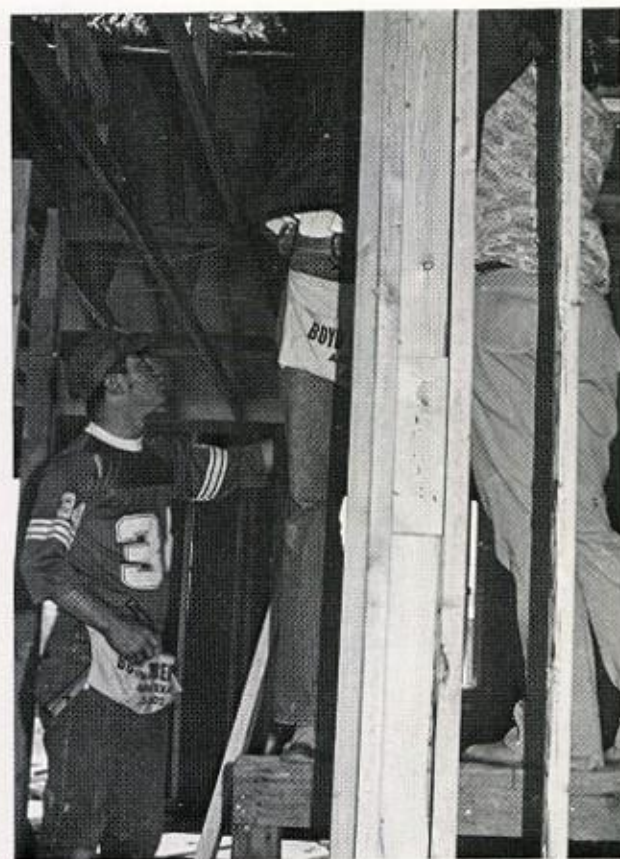
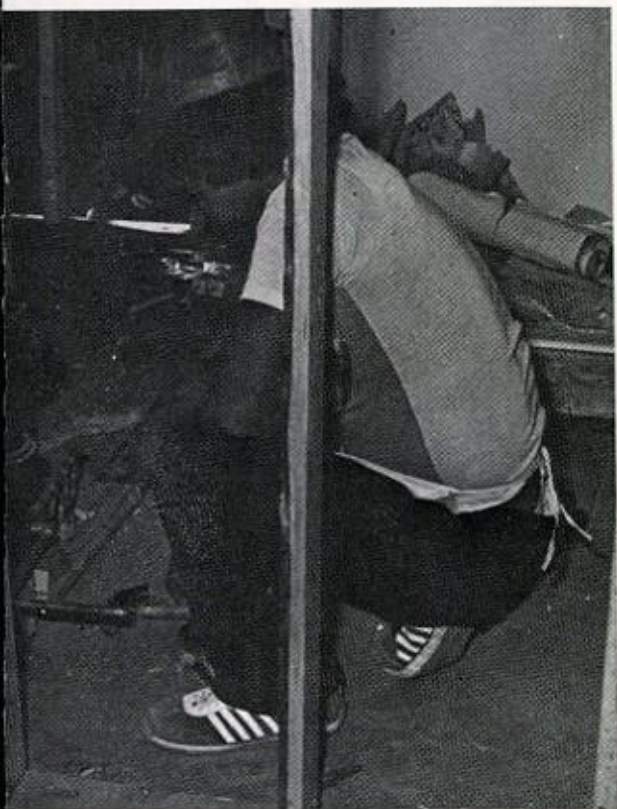


Officers are, left to right, Danny Maxwell, treasurer; Danny Johnston, vice president; Audrey Hart, reporter; Donna Pyron, president; and Rhonda Hart, secretary.



1976-77 DECA Sweetheart is Rhonda Hart.

Carter's Carpenters Build House



The Hamlin-Anson-Stamford Cooperative Building Trades Class, led by Mr. Ronald Carter, built a house on Southwest Fourth Street. The program provided the money and the students the work. Mrs. Carter's Home and Family Living Class decorated the interior prior to its sale on the open market.



Vocational Courses Offer Variety



CVAE, taught by Mr. Cleatus Bollier, teaches students to be skillful with a variety of tools. The combined morning and afternoon classes include, left to right, Carl Burleson, Roy Munoz, Javier Guerra, James O'Conner, Kenneth Taliaferro, Harvey Titus, George Arce, Robb Pritchard, Johnny Balvidia, Randy Perry, Charlie Smith, Mike Maxwell, Tommy Allen, Don Pearce, Britt Cary, Randy Pritchard and Claude Scifres.



The auto mechanics course at Stamford trains future mechanics. Hamlin students traveling to Stamford each day are, left to right, Jim Bollier, Andy Webb, Robert Hernandez, Mike Allen, Pat Harper, Alex Mendoza, Jessie Ribera and Mike Pritchard.



VOE in Anson teaches business office skills. Hamlin students involved are, left to right, Nora Holden, Darendia Wheat, Ruby Conner, Belinza Patterson, Mary Ann Pritchard, Estella Morales and Irma Quiotanilla.

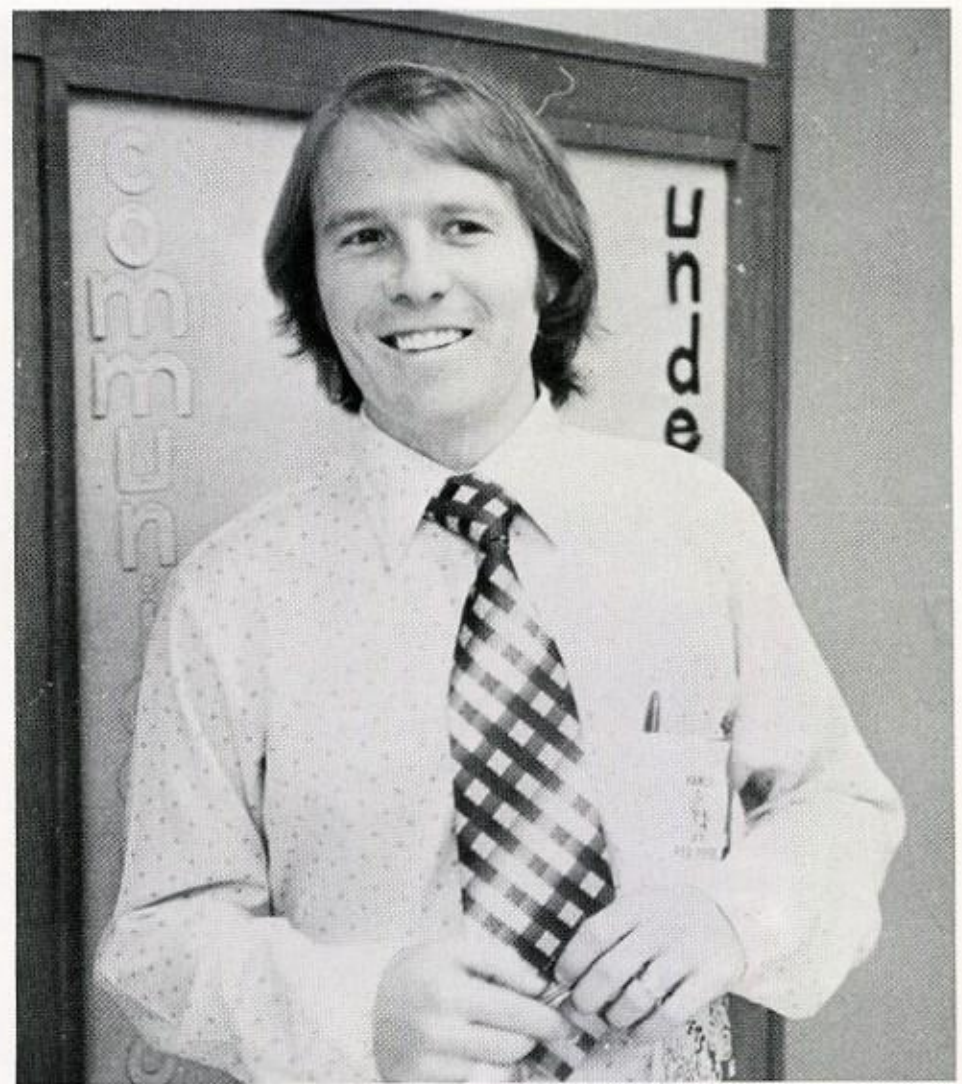
1977 Piper Yearbook Staff



Piper Staff members are, left to right and seated, Denice Haught, Jan Ford, Wayne Wheat, Gary Lain, Kelly Ferguson, Stephanie Haught and Shanon Hinkle; and standing, Stephanie Hymer, Jami Crowley and Elise Kelley. Not pictured is Rhonda Hart.



Editor Jan looks up information for copy.



Mr. Gooch sponsored the annual for the second year.

Lisa Elected Band Sweetheart

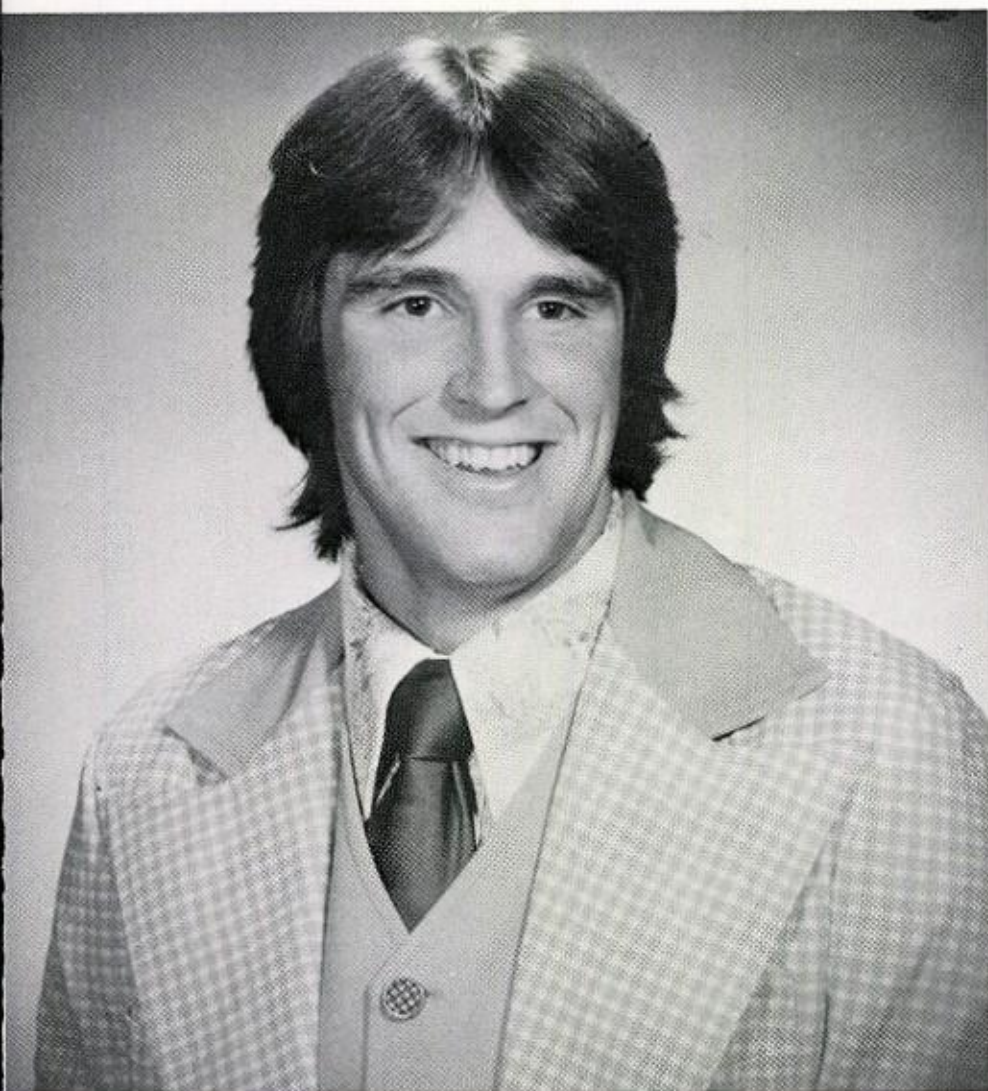
Lisa participated in the HHS Band four years, was the drum major and president her senior year, and was first chair clarinet. She was chosen by a majority vote of her fellow band members.



1976-77 Marching Green



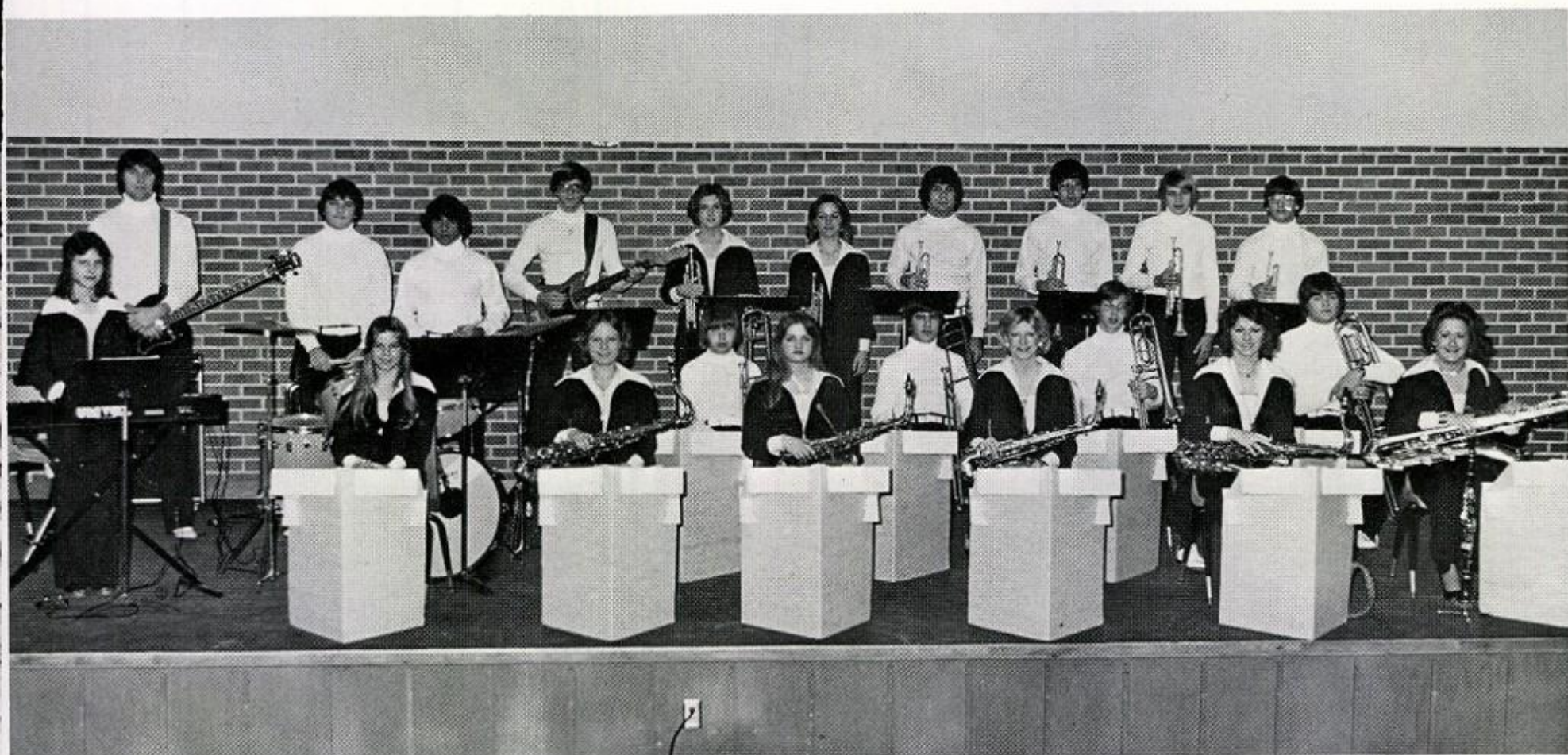
Paul Named Louis Armstrong Honoree



Paul earned the Louis Armstrong Jazz Award, the stage band's highest honor, by being its most dynamic and most valuable member, as exemplified by his accomplishments during his four years with the group.

Through his junior year Paul played the trombone. But he switched to the bass this year to make the rhythm section outstanding. He also toured Europe with the stage band in 1975.

Hamlin Pied Piper Stage Band



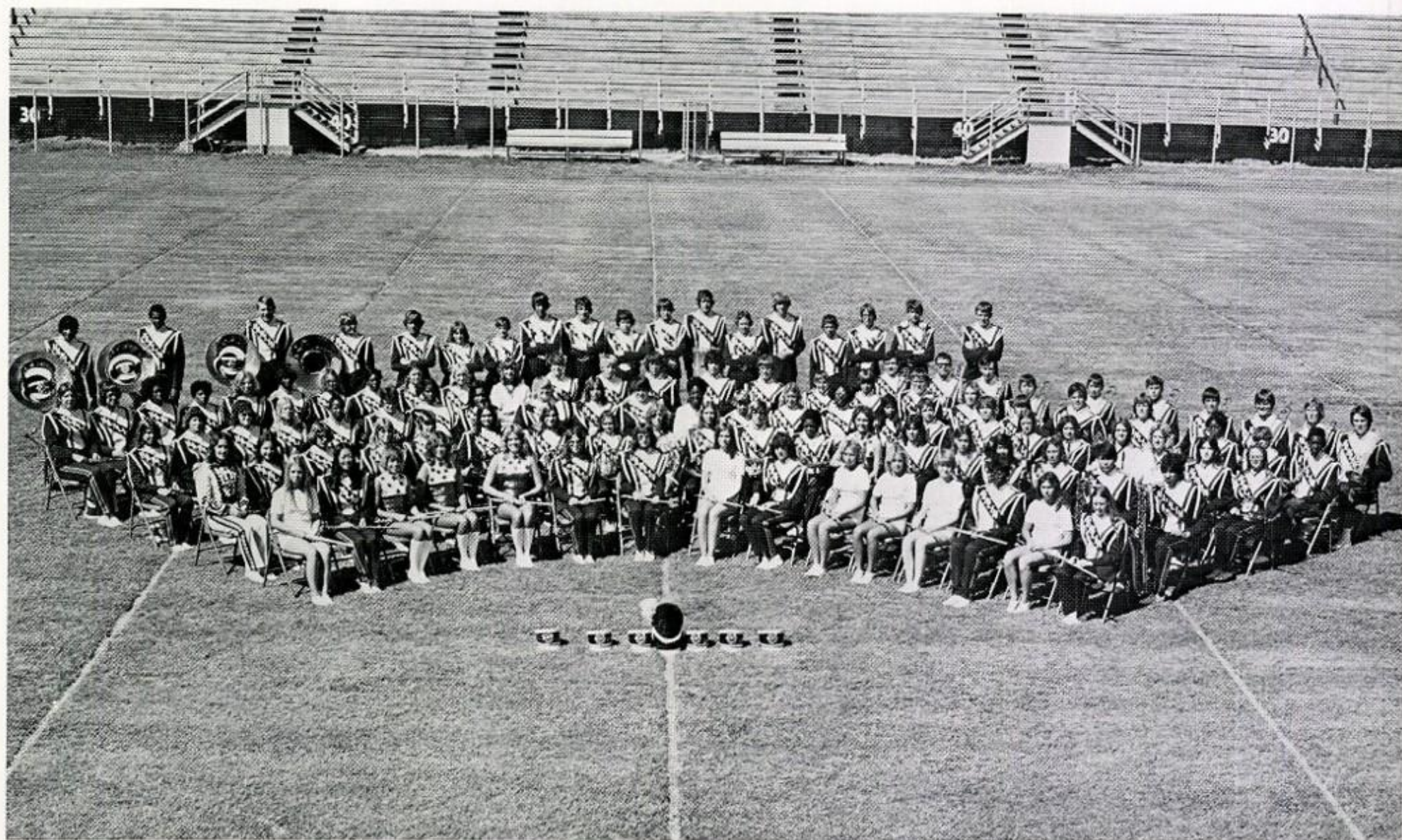
Stage Band members are, left to right, Laura Carter, Paul [redacted], Laurie Willingham, Mike Hymer, Wayne Wheat, Kayla Mehaffey, Julie Jeffrey, Steve Reynolds, Julie Willingham, Cheryl Baker, Gary Lain, Brett McCracken, DeDe Young, Lynn Davis, Randall Lewis, Gregg Bessire, Jan Ford, Russell Crowley, Allen Young and Lisa Howard. The group captured first place at the Stephenville Festival in January.

Lisa Receives John Sousa Award

The John Sousa Award is each year bestowed upon the one person without whom the band could not perform up to its capacity. Serving as both drum major and president this year, Lisa most represented the leader that any band needs.



Pied Piper Concert Band



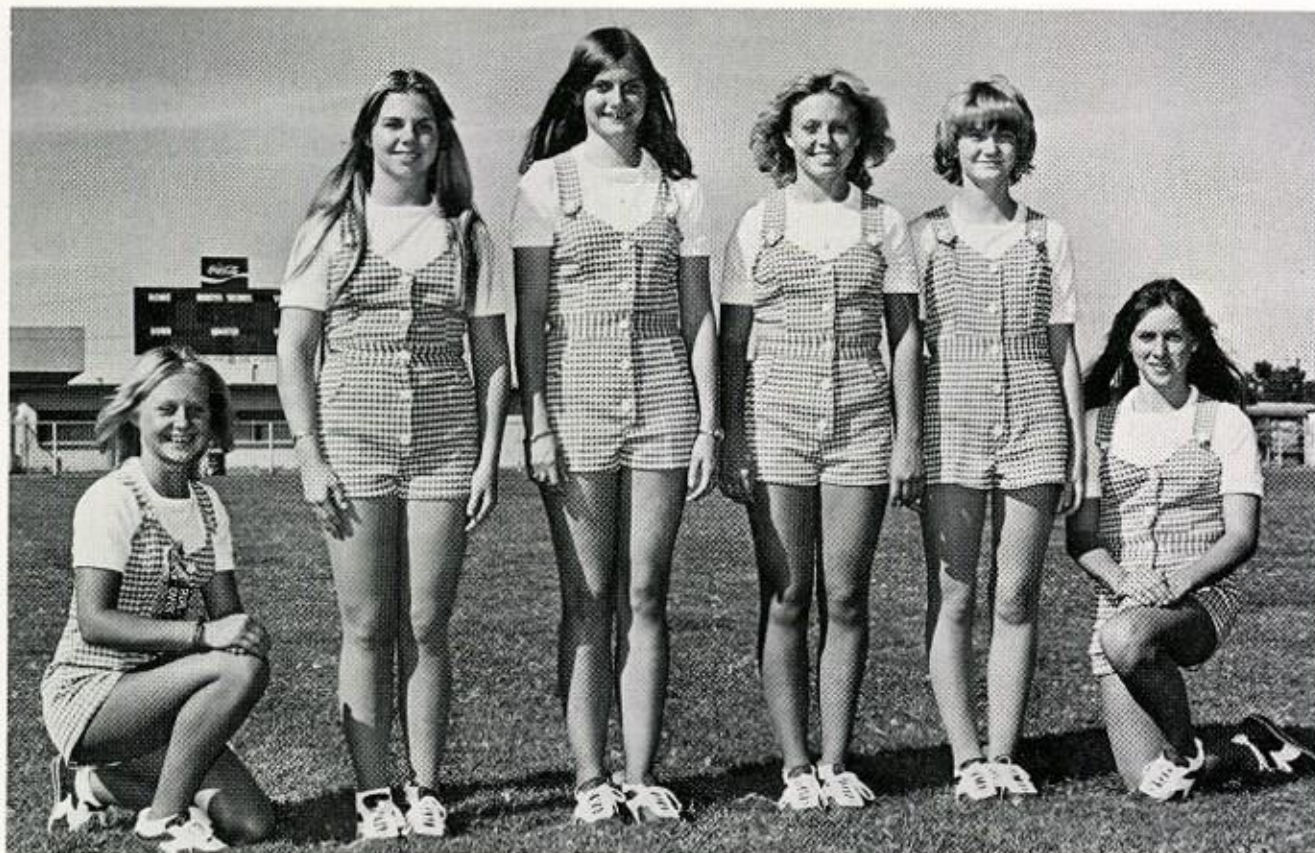
1977 Officers and All-District



1976-77 Band officers are Lisa Howard, president; Paul Reynolds, vice president; Elise Kelley, secretary; Cheryl Baker, reporter; DeDe Young, historian; and Nickey Bond, librarian.



Members of the All-District Band are, front row, Jamie Jones, Mark Young, Nickey Bond, Wayne Wheat, Gregg Bessire, Randall Lewis and Melinda Johnson; and back row, Arlieta Thomas, Gayla Bockmon, Stephanie Hymer, LaEtta Scifres, Lisa Howard, DeDe Young and Debbie Hargrove.



The Flag Girls for the 76-77 Marching Green are, left to right, Donna Bell, Laurie Willingham, Denice Haught (drill instructor), Stacy Bell, Stephanie Haught and Darla Pyron.

DeDe Young, who was named to the All-Star Band at the Stephenville Stage Band Festival, shows off the trophies that were presented to winners of the Hamlin Stage Band Festival Feb. 25, the first ever held here.



The other band members watch Jamie's courage as she protects Leeia from Eileen's striking blows. Jami Crowley, annoyed by the situation, listens to "Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star," as Tracy, Arlieta and LaEtta sing in harmony.

Cheerleaders, Twirlers Provide



The 1976-77 majorettes are, from left to right, Stephanie Hymer, Elise Kelley, Jan Ford (head) and Jamie Jones.



The majorettes help boost the boys' spirit at the pep rallies with precision twirling and interpretation of the band's music.



Jan shows enthusiasm in her routine during a home football game.

Beauty, Talent, Entertainment



The 1976-77 cheerleaders are, from left to right, Jami Crowley, Cheryl Baker (head), DeDe Young, Starlet Covington and Julie Willingham.



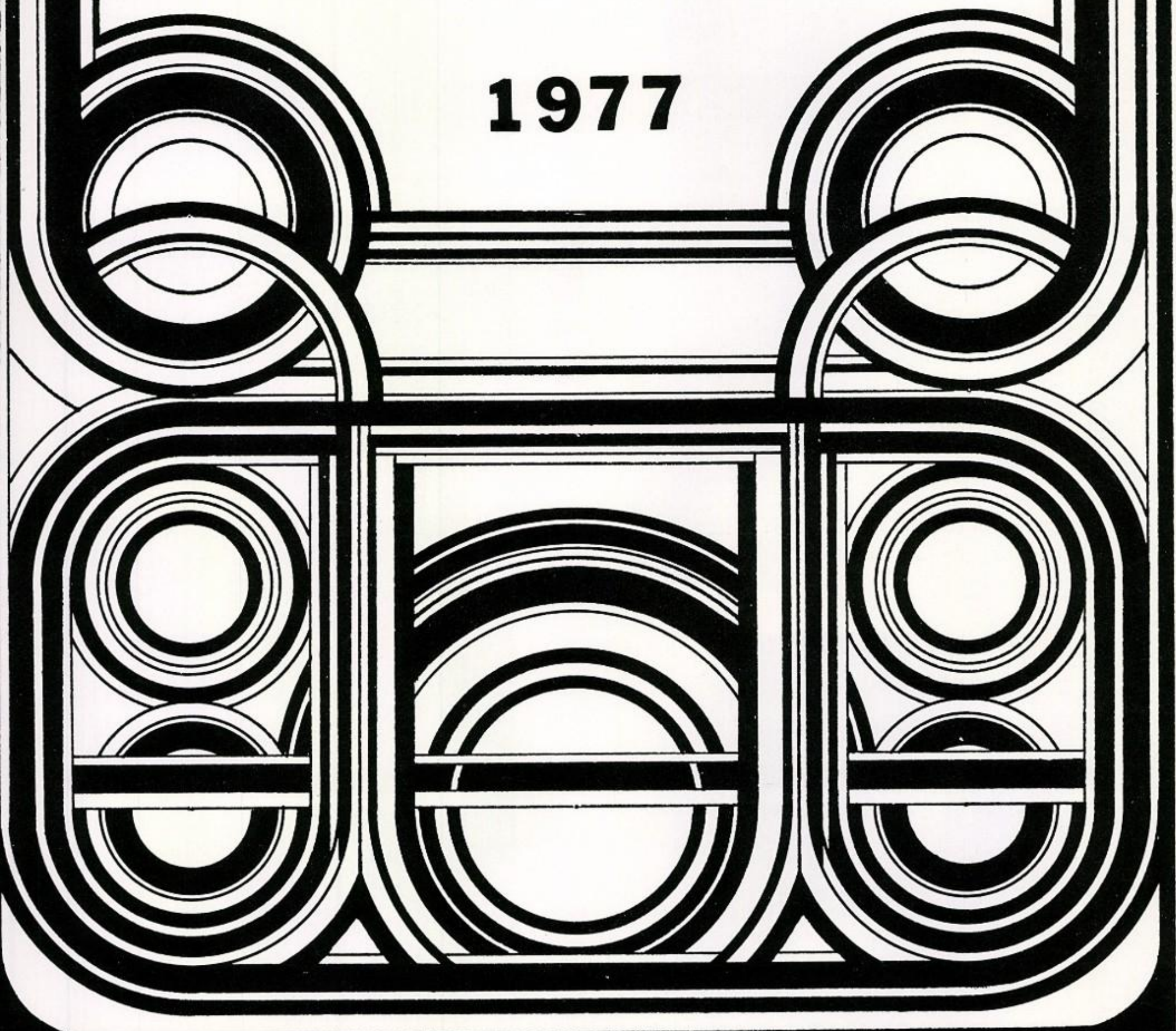
The cheerleaders spend many after-school hours preparing for the pep rallies.



The cheerleaders arouse spirit at the football game—one of their main duties and source of satisfaction.

SPORTS

1977



Pipers Take Bi-District Title



The Hamlin coaching staff for 1976-77 were, left to right, Larry Bartee, Bill Grissom (head), Andy Lowe, Jimmy Lisle, Keith Barrick and Garry Bartee.



Delbert Thompson shows a would-be Anson tackler why he gained 1,728 yards and scored 148 points in the 1976 season.

By Backhanding Baird 20-14



The Pied Pipers made the transition from Class AA to A by capturing the District 7-A and Bi-District titles before falling to Seagraves in the Regional game.

In Bill Grissom's first year as head coach, the Hamlin footballers boasted 9-3 and 6-1 season and district records respectively.

After losing their only district contest 33-22 to Crowell, the Pipers' only hope for the loop championship depended on a Haskell upset of league-leading Crowell, which the Indians promptly provided in the final Friday of district competition.

Thus Hamlin's 38-6 snow-covered, one-half drubbing of Rotan sent the locals to Abilene, where they held off the Baird Bears 20-14.

The Regional loss to Seagraves, 34-0, was played in Big Spring.

7-A All-District Performers

Offense

First team:

Thompson—running back
Young—tackle

Second team:

Lakey—tackle
Jones—running back
Brown—split end

Honorable mention:

Ledbetter—end
Maberry—end
Reynolds—quarterback
T. Gonzalez—guard

Defense

First team:

Thompson—linebacker
Young—down lineman

Second team:

Jones—linebacker
Brown—safety
Reynolds—down lineman

Honorable mention:

Hymer—secondary
Lakey—down lineman



Drew Tomlinson
Junior

Charles Brown
Senior

Mack Lee
Junior

Stanley Jones
Senior

Mike Hymer
Junior

Paul Reynolds
Senior

Delbert Thompson
Senior



Ronald Brown
Sophomore

Brett McCracken
Junior

Roger Gonzalez
Junior

Mark Carter
Sophomore

Vance Lakey
Sophomore

Allen Young
Senior

Tomas Gonzalez
Senior



Joe Smith
Sophomore

Mike Corley
Senior

Russ Lakey
Senior

Edwin Wheat
Senior

Tommy Maberry
Junior

Rickey Goodgame
Junior

Jim Ledbetter
Senior



Football Sweetheart—Cheryl Baker

1976 SEASON RECORD

Hamlin	13	Stamford	7
Hamlin	47	Wylie	2
Hamlin	19	Anson	20
*Hamlin	12	Munday	0
*Hamlin	35	Knox City	0
*Hamlin	27	Paducah	6
*Hamlin	49	Aspermont	7
*Hamlin	17	Haskell	8
*Hamlin	22	Crowell	33
*Hamlin	36	Rotan	8
	Bi-District		
Hamlin	20	Baird	14
	Regional		
Hamlin	0	Seagraves	34

*denotes District 7-A game

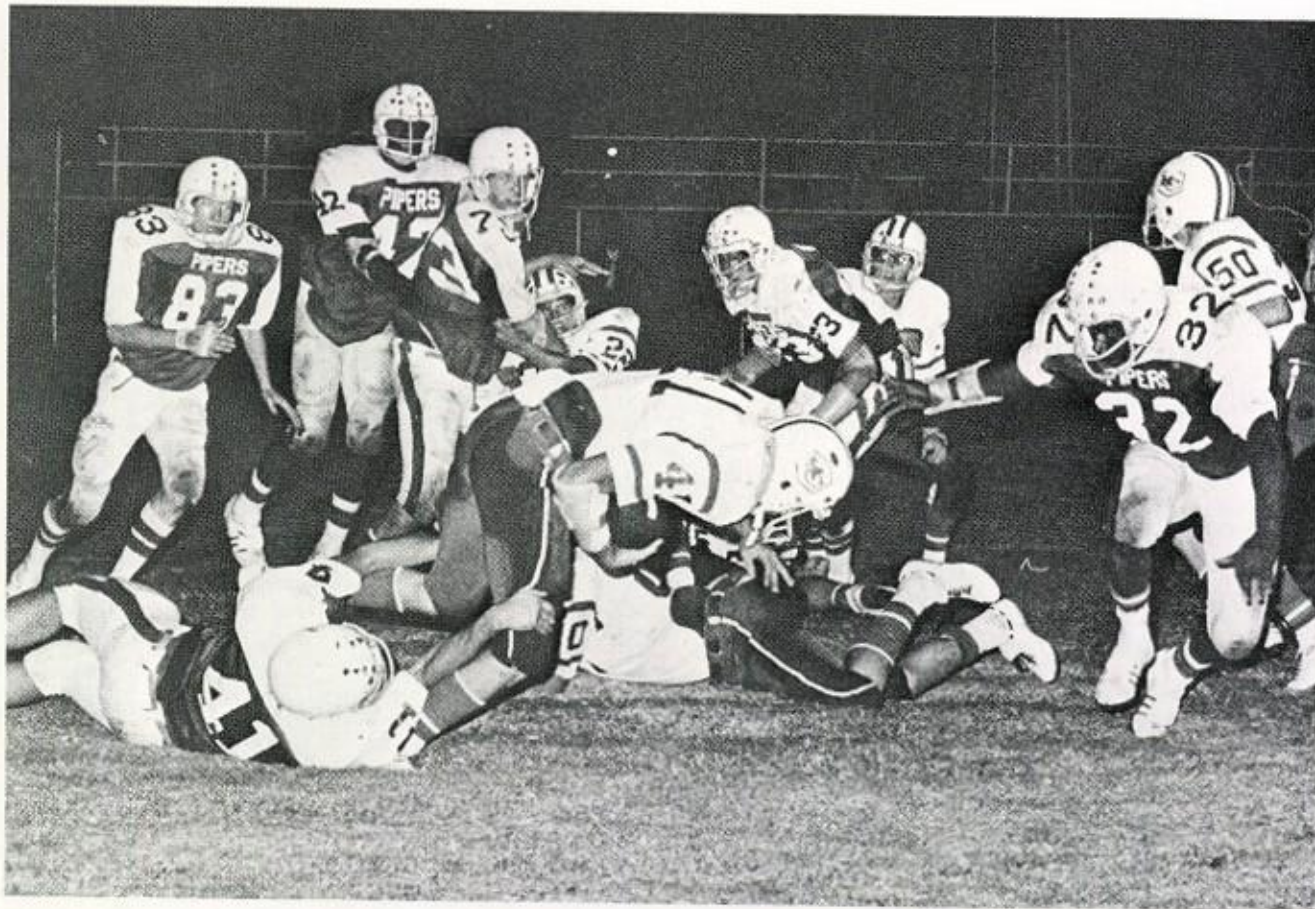
JV and 8th Grade Football Teams



Junior Varsity members are, bottom row and left to right, Tim Bollier, Keith Alexander, Marvin Williams, Odis Willis, Jackie Cork, Frank Lane and Todd Marshall; middle row, Larry Quintanilla, Guy Turner, Russell Crowley, Lynn Davis, Ricky Lawlis, Sammy Benningfield, Mitch Wilson and Kelly Ferguson; top row, Lester Stephens, Neal Baker, Kelly Offield, Steve Campbell, Carl Pyron, Mike Allen, Dale Hall and Sherman Bates. The coaches are Gary Barte and Keith Barrick.



Eighth grade members are, bottom row and left to right, Rainey Resendez, Glen Hunter, John Jiminez, John Cook, Jerry Garcia and Albert Quintanilla; middle row, Carl Wade, Robbie Pritchard, Darrell Hart, Jessie Hooper, Mitch Lawlis, Mickey Williams, Travis Lain and Jim Hall; and top row, Steve Reynolds, Joe Don Jeffrey, Mike Davis, Roy Guerra, John Neal, Steve Contreras, Mark Young and Gordon Roberts. The eighth grade coach is Andy Lowe. Manager is John Bill Maddox.



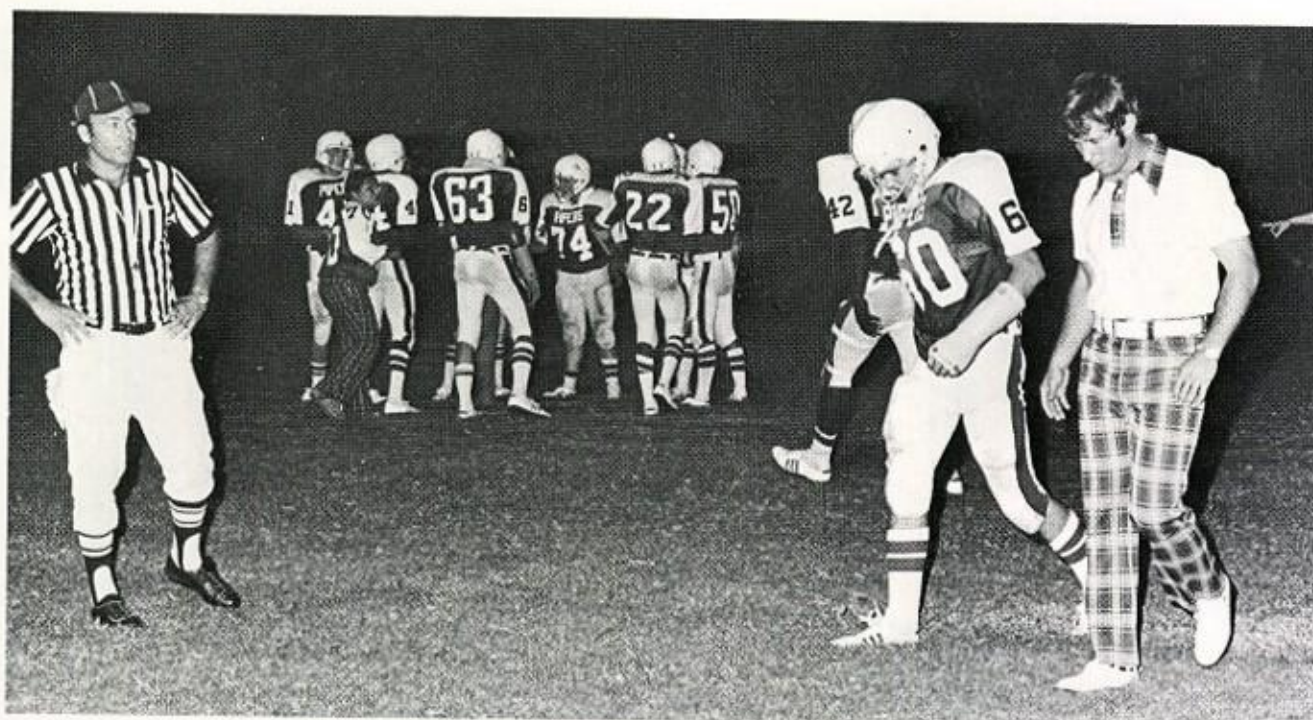
Reynolds wraps up a Greyhound and Jones moves in for the tackle, while Ledbetter, Thompson, Corley and Young look on.



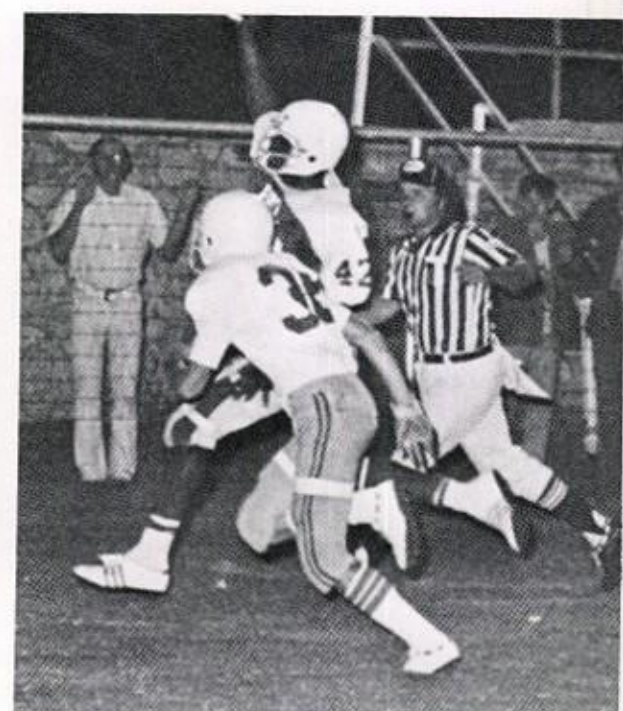
Reynolds led the Pipers with 23 completions for 3 TD's.



The bench is thoughtful as the clock winds down during the Pipers' 47-2 whipping of Wylie.



Coach Grissom escorts a "shaken up" Carter.



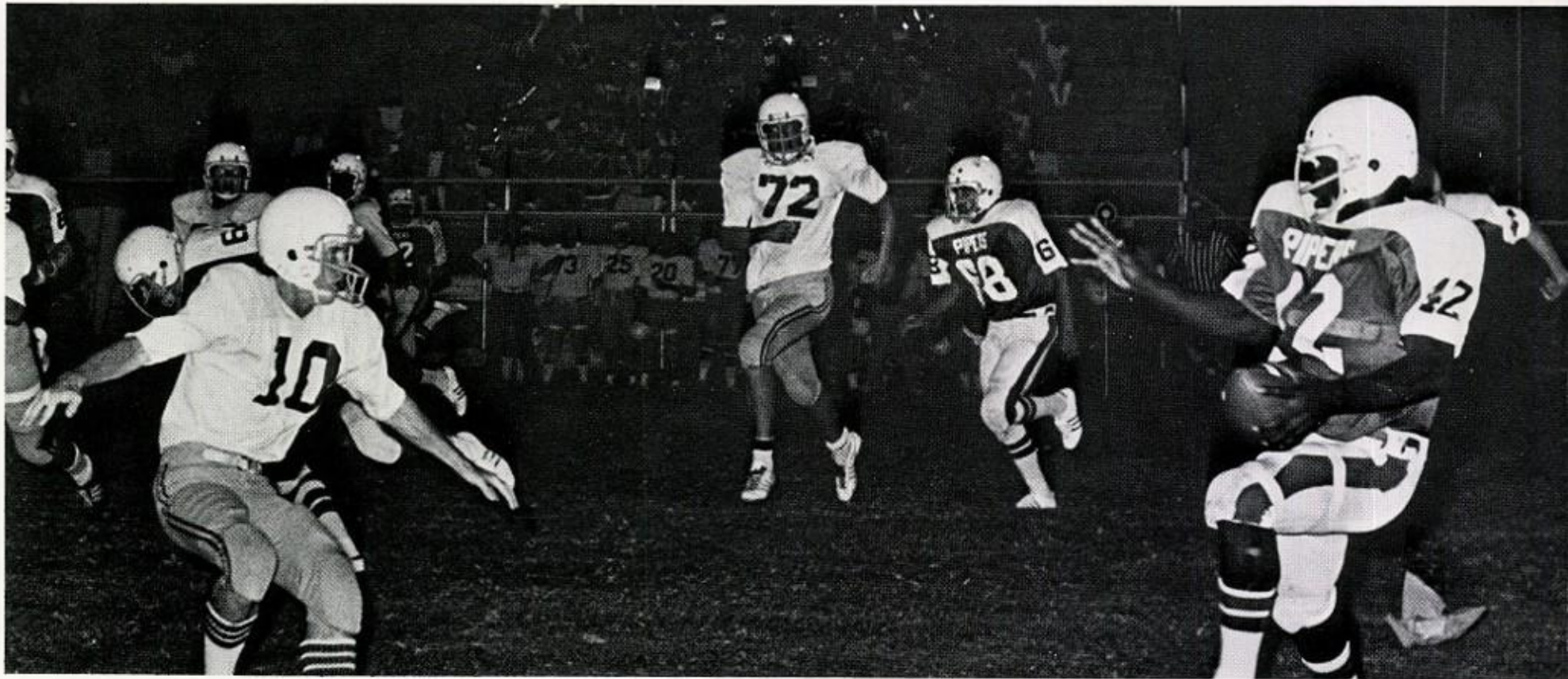
Thompson scores again.



Charlie Brown nurses a sore ankle after scoring on a Tomlinson pass and hauling in an interception to ice the 12-0 shut out of Munday.



Hymer, Tomas Gonzalez, Jones and Carter gang tackle Robert Spells of Munday, an All-District 7-A running back.



Thompson's "fancy steps" run rampant over a hapless Wylie ten.



Coach Larry Bartee gets instructions over the headset from Coaches Lowe and Garry Bartee, who have a "bird's eye view" from the stands.



Lee matches his speed with a Wylie Bulldog



The offensive line of Russ Lakey, Carter, McCracken, Tomas Gonzalez and Young open a huge hole for All-District back Thompson.



Mack wrestles down a Bulldog.



Stanley forces an incompletion as the "laundry" flies.



The eighth grade football team was coached by Andy Lowe. The members are, left to right, front row, Rainey Resendez, Glen Hunter, John Jiminez, Johnny Cook, Jerry Garcia and Albert Quintanilla. Middle row, Carl Wade, Robbie Pritchard, Darrell Hart, Jessie Hooper, Mitch Lawlis, Mickey Williams, Travis Lain, Jim Hall and John Bill Maddox, manager; and top row, Steve Reynolds, Jo Don Jeffrey, Mike Davis, Roy Guerra, John Neal, Steve Contreras, Mark Young and Gordon Roberts.

Pied Pipers Bounce Baird 85-69;

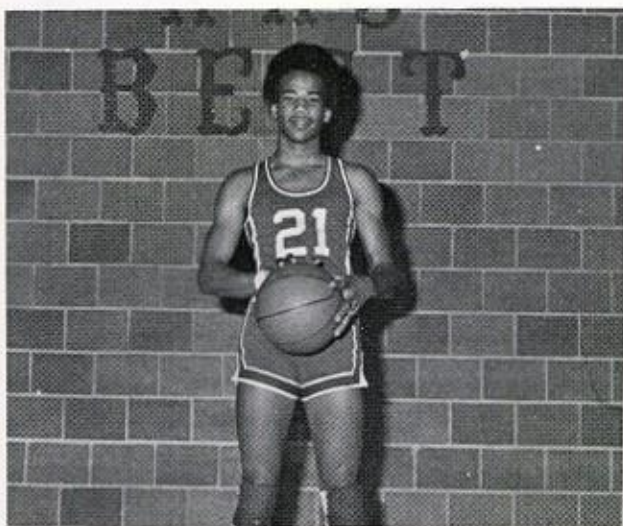


The 1976-77 Piper basketball varsity includes, left to right and top row, Charles Brown, Wayne Wheat, Ronald Brown, Paul Reynolds, Delbert Thompson and Vance Lakey; and bottom row, manager Roger Gonzalez, Odis Willis, Bo Ervine, Tomas Gonzalez, Todd Marshall and Coach Keith Barrick.



The Pied Piper junior varsity is composed of, left to right and top row, Mitch Wilson, Gerald Lee, Jackie Cork, Mark Carter, Marvin Williams, Frank Lane and Coach Garry Bartee; and bottom row, Delger Covington, Don Pearce, Harvey Titus, Rickey Goodgame, Kelly Ferguson and Russell Laird.

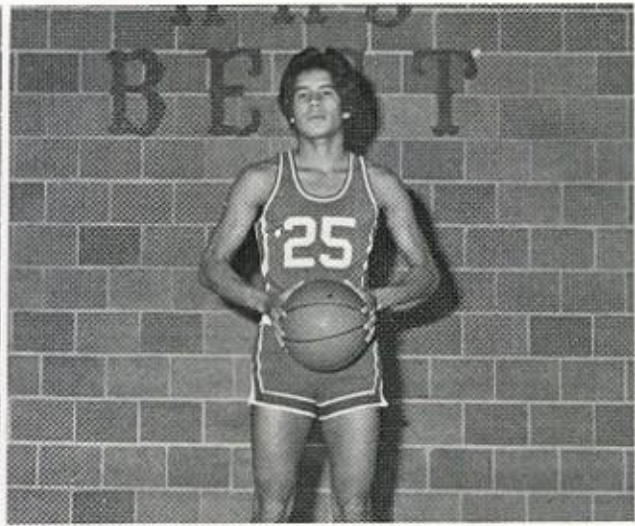
Win Basketball Bi-District Title



Bo Ervine
junior guard



Charles Brown
senior guard



Tomas Gonzalez
senior guard



Todd Marshall
freshman guard



Ronald Brown
sophomore forward



Wayne Wheat
junior forward



Paul Reynolds
senior center



Stanley Jones
senior center



Vance Lakey
sophomore forward

Delbert
Thompson
senior
forward



Odis
Willis
freshman
center

The Pipers took their bi-district title and an impressive 28-0 season record into Lubbock for the Regional Basketball Tournament, losing in the first round 64-53 to a well-disciplined, fast-breaking Stratford squad. The Hamlin Pied Pipers finished the season at 28-1.

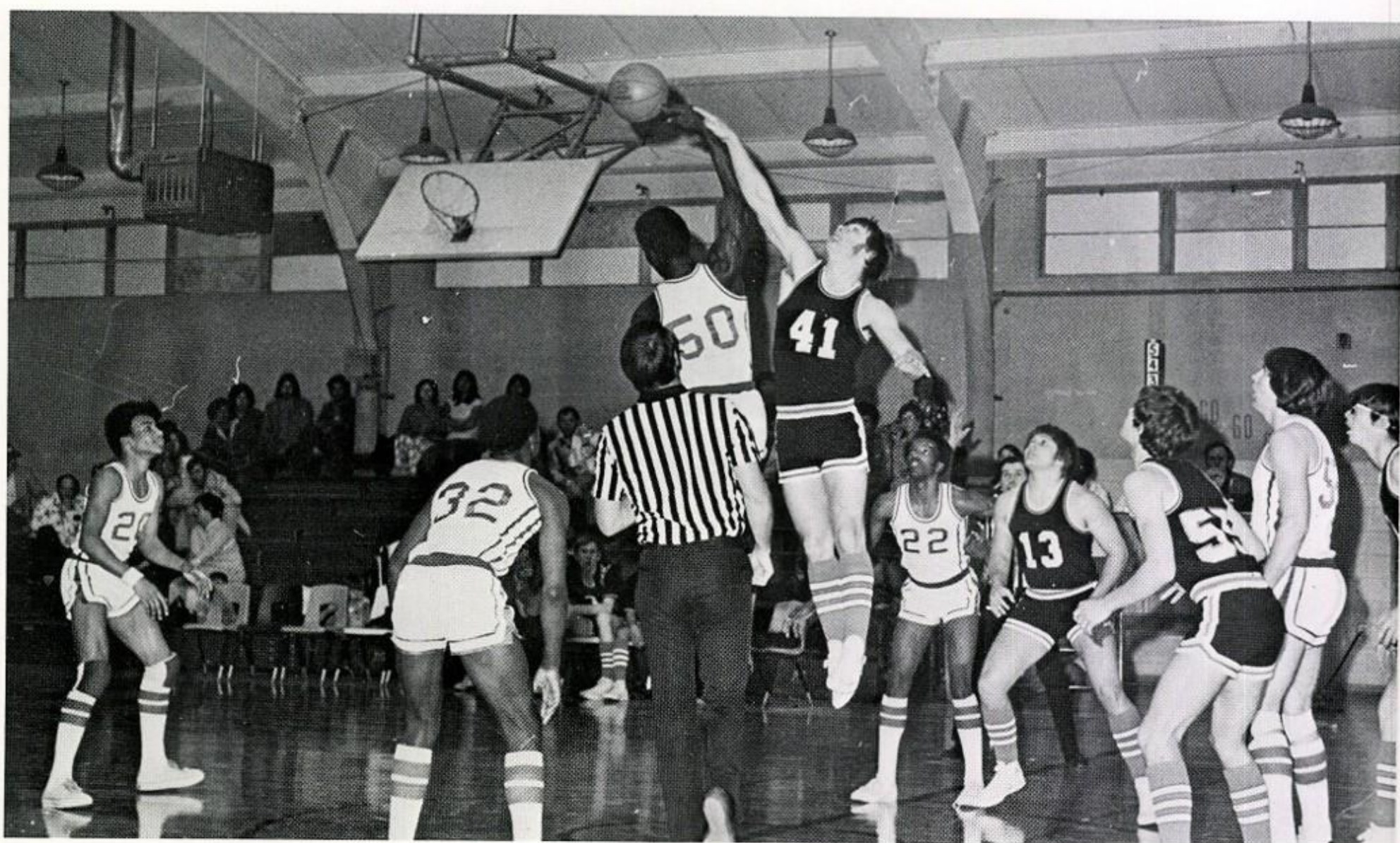
Hamlin earned the trip to Lubbock by taking the District 7-A championship unscathed (14-0) and by tromping Baird 85-69, whom they had beaten in a similar football play-off game, in the bi-district clash.

In non-district games Coach Keith Barrick's cagers piled up a 14-0 record while winning three tournaments and edging District 9-AA Breckenridge 48-47 in McMurry's Hunt P. E. Center in Abilene in a practice contest before the bi-district game.

Seniors finishing their high school basketball careers were Charles Brown, Tomas Gonzalez, Stanley Jones, Paul Reynolds and Delbert Thompson.



Bo draws a foul, while Charlie waits for the rebound.



Another Piper victory is underway, as Delbert taps the opening tip-off to Bo.



Paul reinforces his dominance under the boards.



Chili pleases the crowd with an attempted "dunk."



Vance and Tomas watch a Delbert drive lead to two more points.



Delbert tips in a basket against Haskell.



The eyes show the pressures of a high school coach.

Pipers Go Undeclared in District



Chili shoots from the baseline, as Tomas, Wayne and Bo get position for the rebound.



Delbert found his name in every newspaper in the state when he signed a letter of intent with the University of Texas; as his mother, Mrs. Jimmy Lane, Coach Grissom and Leon Fuller from Austin looked on.



Stanley sinks another basket against Anson.



Delbert drops in a lay-up in the home victory over Haskell.



Hamlin packs the gymnasium to watch the perennial champion Pied Pipers.



Cheerleading does not end with football season. The girls lead the cheers, as the team warms up at halftime.

Lowe's 8th Graders Finish 5-9



Eighth grade team members with Coach Andy Lowe are, left to right, John Neal, Gordon Roberts, Jonathan Cook, Jessie Willis, Mike Davis, Steve Contreras, Willie Johnson and Mark Young; and back row, Jessie Hooper, Carl Wade, Steve Reynolds, Travis Lain, John Jiminez, Mitch Lawlis, Mickey Williams and Joe Don Jeffrey.

Girls Finish Third In District;



Piper varsity members are, left to right and front row, Coach Davis, manager Denice Haught, May Ruth Brown, Barbara Hooper, Tonya Covington, Verna Jo Thompson, Starlet Covington, Liz Hooper and Coach Raughton; and back row, Stacy Bell, Cheryl Baker, Jan Ford, Sherry Carter, Tracy Gregory, Leeia Phariss and Donna Bell.



Junior varsity members are, left to right and front row, Sharla Turner, Darla Pyron, Laurie Willingham, Jami Crowley and Donna Bell; and back row, Coach Raughton, Vivian Dixon, Eileen Goodgame, Teresa McMillen, May Ruth Brown, Lisa Hooper and Geneva Shelton.

Close Out Season With 20-6 Record



Stacy Bell
sophomore
forward



Liz Hooper
junior
forward



Donna Bell
freshman
forward



Cheryl Baker
senior
guard



May Ruth Brown
sophomore
guard



Barbara Hooper
senior
guard



Sherry Carter
senior
guard



Tracy Gregory
senior
forward



Leeia Phariss
junior
guard



Starlet Covington
junior
forward



Verna Jo Thompson
senior
guard



Tonya Covington
senior
guard

Co-captains
Tonya and
Barbara
and Coach
Bettye Jo Davis



Despite their 20-6 season record, one of the best in the area, Coach Bettye Jo Davis' Pipers could not get past Paducah and Crowell, as they finished in third place in District 7-A.

The girls compiled a 10-2 non-district record, were an "Honor Team" in one statewide publication and dominated their other five district foes for a 10-4 conference record.

However, 12 points in three games with the league-leading Dragons and Wildcats kept the Pipers from the district championship.

The junior varsity girls boasted a 12-5 record, relying mainly on the shooting skills of freshman Donna Bell who averaged 22.1 points per game. The other forwards and their averages were: Jami Crowley, 4.2; Teresa McMillen, 2.7; and Sharla Turner, 1.4.



Starlet arches a turn-around jump shot toward the basket.



Stacy launches a set shot from the free throw line to contribute toward her 14 point-per-game average.



The girls smile in the huddle during an easy win over Haskell.



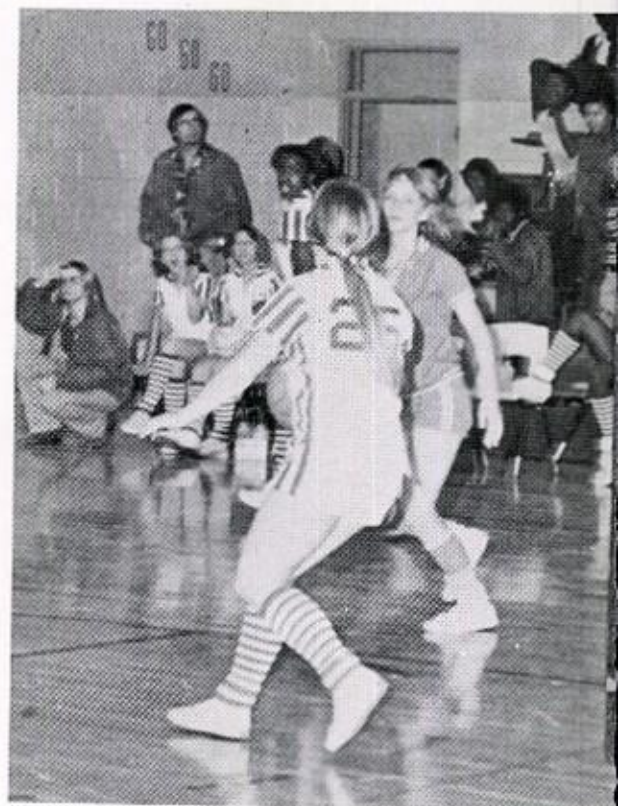
Liz shows her free throw form.



Guards Tonya, Cheryl and Barbara provided a stingy defense and solid ball handling all season.



Tonya controls the opening tip-off with Stacy ready to control it.



Coach Raughton watches Eileen maneuver the ball toward mid court.



Tonya and Sherry work together to get the ball to the forwards.



Coach Bartee explains the offense to Teresa and Jami.



Donna shoots a long set shot, while Coach Barteo fills in for Coach Raughton.



Sharla tosses in a bucket with Donna and Teresa positioning for the possible rebound.

Raughton's 8th Graders Finish Well



Team members are, left to right and front row, Laveta Miller, Jackie Hooper, Veronica Chase, Deborah Server, Lorna Phariss, Gina Marshall and Coach Pam Raughton; and back row, Mary Hernandez, Pam Thornton, Kathy Prewit, LaEtta Scifres, Karen Smith, Rita Maberry, Kay Bailey and Teri Weaver.

Varsity Basketball Statistics

Boys

Hamlin	62	Jim Ned	36
Hamlin	69	Albany	53
Hamlin	52	Reagan County	44
Hamlin	57	Stamford	49
*Hamlin	87	Rotan	15
Hamlin	56	Anson	40
*Hamlin	68	Aspermont	39
*Hamlin	84	Haskell	32
Hamlin	57	Anson	36
Hamlin	58	Aspermont	50
Hamlin	74	Haskell	51
Hamlin	65	Jim Ned	39
Hamlin	65	Ranger	39
Hamlin	64	Abilene High JV	55
Hamlin	72	Clyde	59
*Hamlin	55	Knox City	51
*Hamlin	58	Munday	53
*Hamlin	69	Paducah	46
*Hamlin	69	Crowell	51
*Hamlin	67	Rotan	33
*Hamlin	72	Aspermont	39
*Hamlin	73	Haskell	39
*Hamlin	92	Munday	66
*Hamlin	78	Knox City	71
*Hamlin	85	Crowell	69
*Hamlin	64	Paducah	63
Hamlin	48	Breckenridge	47
Bi-District			
Hamlin	85	Baird	69
Regional			
Hamlin		Stratford	64

Girls

Hamlin	61	Ballinger	23
Hamlin	55	Rule	21
Hamlin	64	Stamford	42
Hamlin	83	Anson	52
Hamlin	72	Jim Ned	23
Hamlin	55	Albany	52
Hamlin	38	Reagan County	42
Hamlin	50	Anson	33
*Hamlin	52	Rotan	31
Hamlin	73	Anson	33
*Hamlin	60	Aspermont	46
Hamlin	69	Haskell	51
Hamlin	38	Paducah	47
Hamlin	59	Rule	36
*Hamlin	63	Haskell	61
*Hamlin	45	Knox City	30
*Hamlin	61	Munday	45
*Hamlin	39	Paducah	41
*Hamlin	34	Crowell	39
*Hamlin	53	Rotan	41
*Hamlin	62	Aspermont	42
*Hamlin	59	Haskell	37
*Hamlin	61	Munday	38
*Hamlin	40	Knox City	31
*Hamlin	47	Crowell	52
*Hamlin	42	Paducah	63

Individual Scoring

PLAYER	TOTAL POINTS	AVE.
Thompson	602	20.8
R. Brown	381	13.1
C. Brown	331	11.4
Ervine	235	8.1
Reynolds	199	6.9
Jones	80	2.8
Gonzalez	40	1.4
Marshall	23	0.8
Lahey	17	0.6
Willis	12	0.4
W. Wheat	8	0.3
Williams	4	0.1
Lane	4	0.1

PLAYER	TOTAL POINTS	AVE.
Covington	542	20.8
Hooper	467	18.0
S. Bell	367	14.1
Gregory	42	2.5
D. Bell	13	1.9

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D. Bell	287	22.1
Crowley	55	4.2
McMillen	35	2.7
Turner	18	1.4

Boys Track



Team members include, left to right, Stanley Jones, Ronald Brown, Charles Brown, Wayne Wheat, Delbert Thompson, Tim Bollier, Tomas Gonzalez, John Barrera, Drew Tomlinson, Mario Quintanilla, Mike Hymer, Tommy Maberry, Frank Lane and Mack Lee, who is not pictured.



Regional qualifying hopefuls are Tommy, hurdles; Mack, Stanley and Delbert, sprints and relay; and Ronald and Charles, high jump.

Girls Track



Girls Track includes, left to right and front row, Geneva Shelton, May Ruth Brown, Tonya Covington, Verna Jo Thompson, Starlet Covington, Barbara Hooper and Vivian Dixon; and back row, Donna Bell, Sharla Turner, Sherry Carter, Darla Pyron, Stacy Bell, Cheryl Baker, Leeia Phariss, Jan Ford, Tracy Gregory, Teresa McMillen and Manager Denice Haught. Liz Hooper was absent the day of pictures.



440 and 880 relay team members are, left to right, May Ruth, Barbara, Cheryl and Verna Jo.



Stacy, Jan and Darla are the Piper hurdlers for 1977.

Volleyballers Earn Third In District



Team members include, left to right and front row, Sharla Turner, Leeia Phariss, Stacy Bell and Donna Bell; and back row, Jan Ford, May Ruth Brown, Starlet Covington, Tonya Covington, Verna Jo Thompson, Barbara Hooper, Tracy Gregory and first year Coach Pam Raughton. Not pictured is Liz Hooper.

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JIM BOLLIER

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CHARLES BROWN

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DAVID BROWN

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JOHN BRUTON

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RUSSELL CARY

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ALVIN CONNER

FFA I-IV.

JANICE CORK

FHA IV; Paper IV.

MIKE CORLEY

FFA II-IV; CVAE III; FB IV; DE III; Paper IV.

TONYA COVINGTON

BB I-IV; Band I-III; Track II.

RONALD CROUCH

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F

JAN FORD

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RICKY FURR

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LEROY GARDNER

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TOMAS GONZALEZ

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PAT HARPER

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RHONDA HART

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LISA HOWARD

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STANLEY JONES

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ELISE KELLEY

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PAULA LAKEY

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RUSS LAKEY

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VERNA JO THOMPSON

Band I-IV; BB III-IV; VB III-IV; Span. Cl. III; Track III, Reg. III.

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ANDY WEBB

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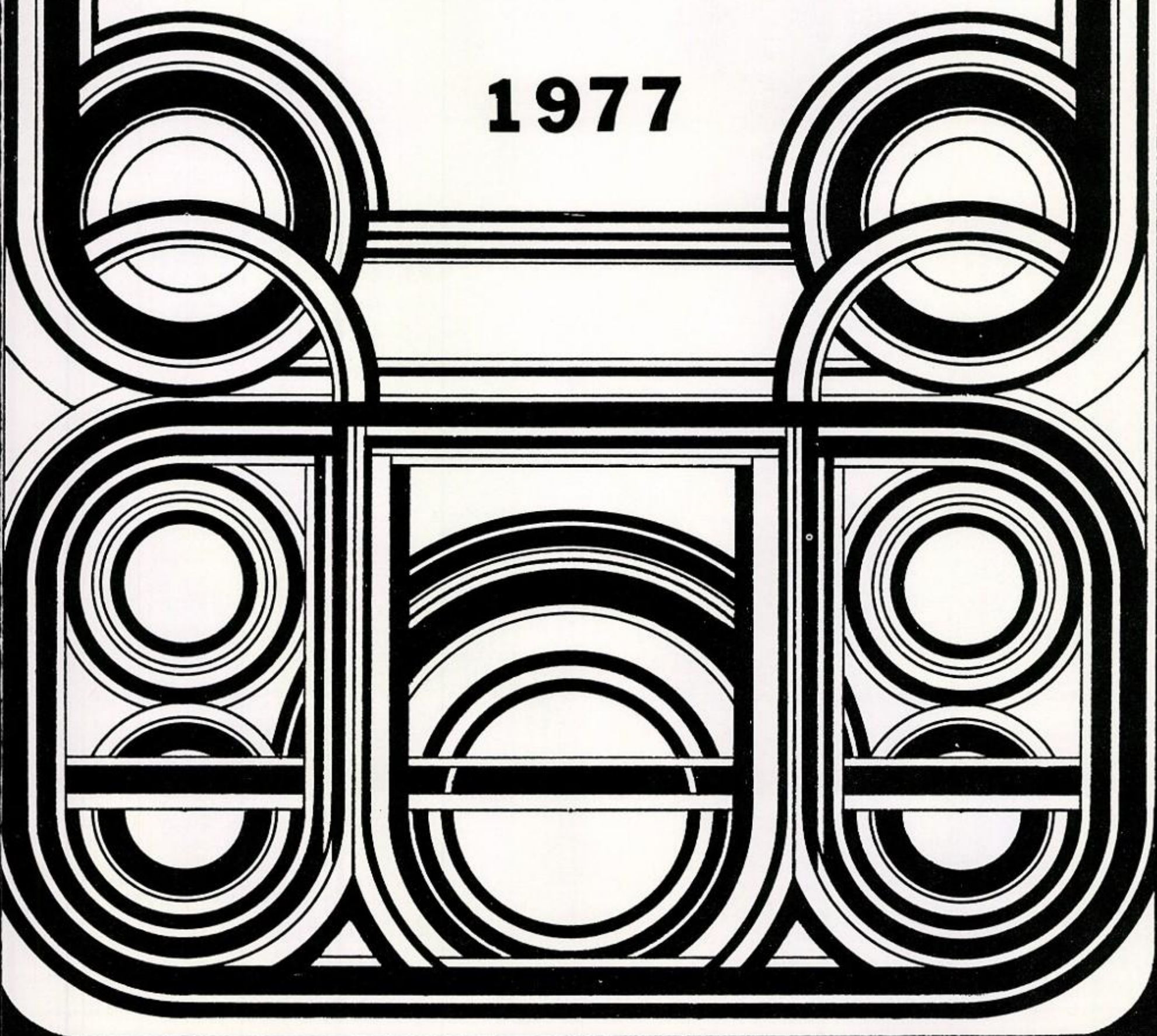
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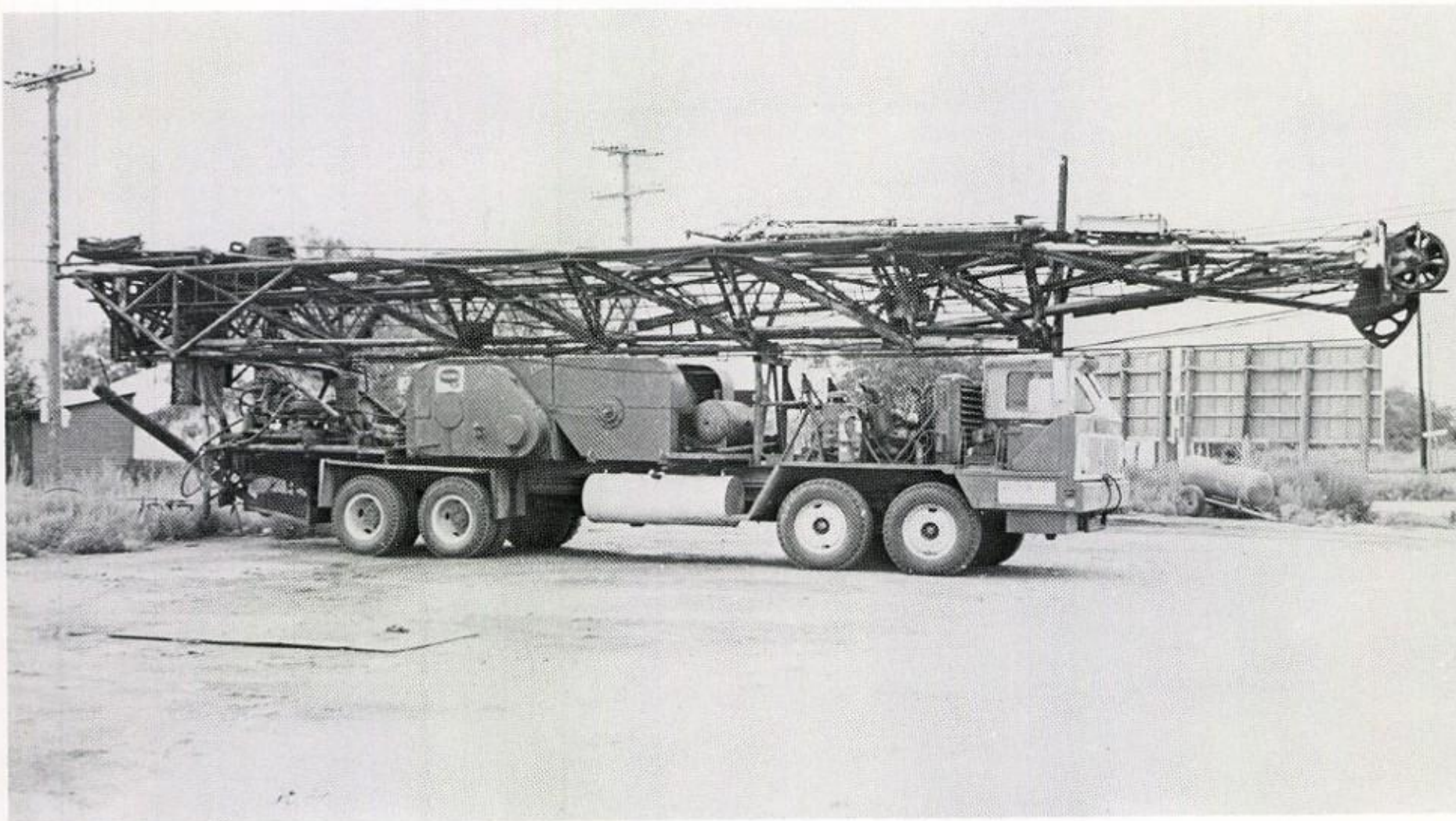


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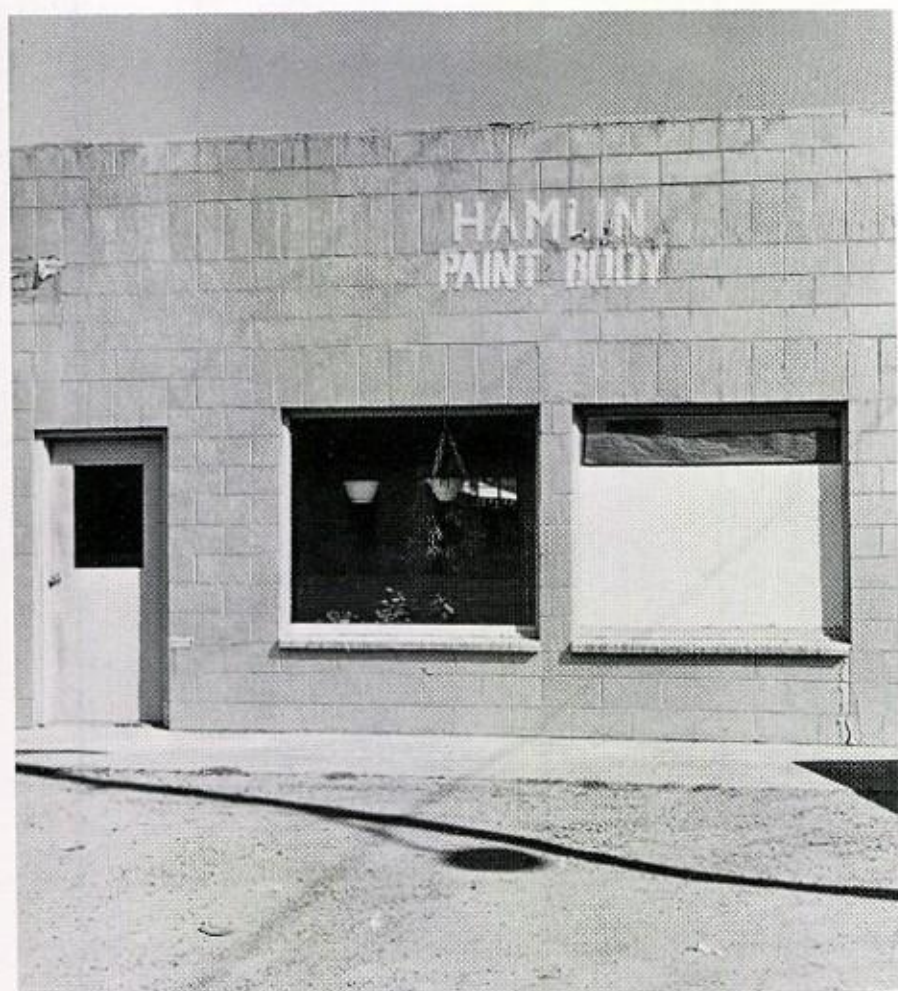


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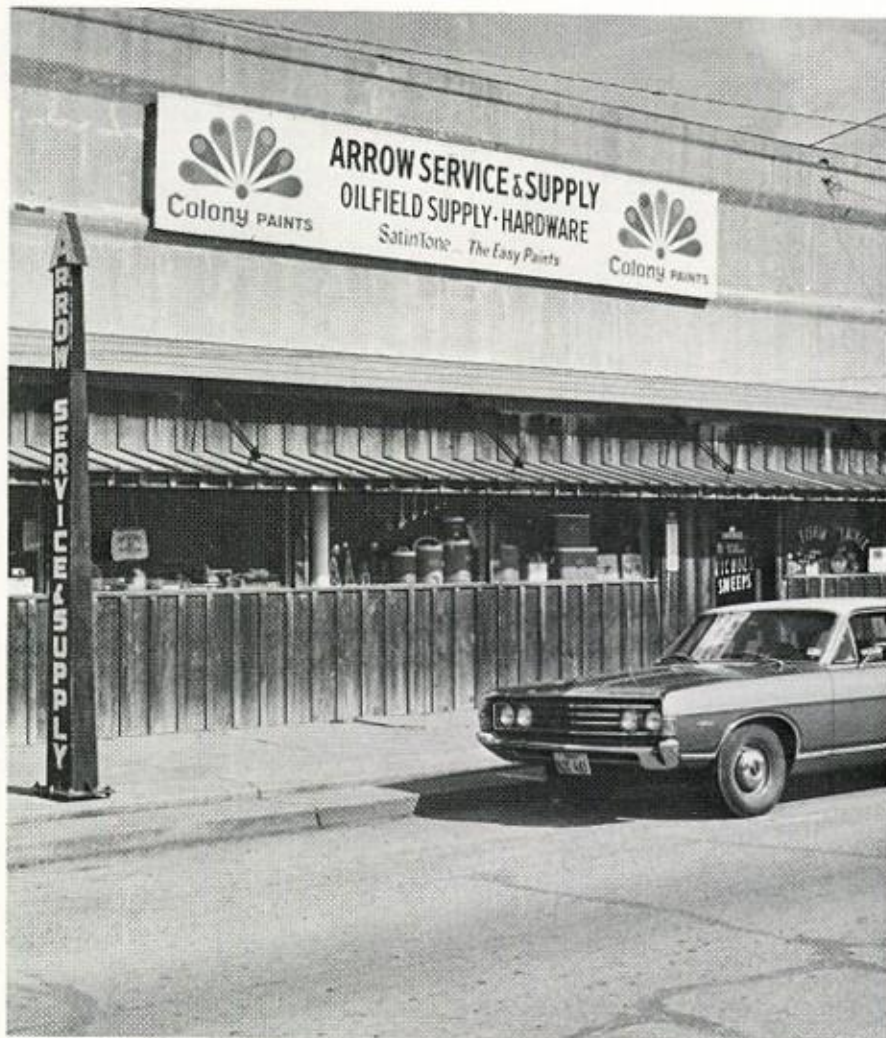
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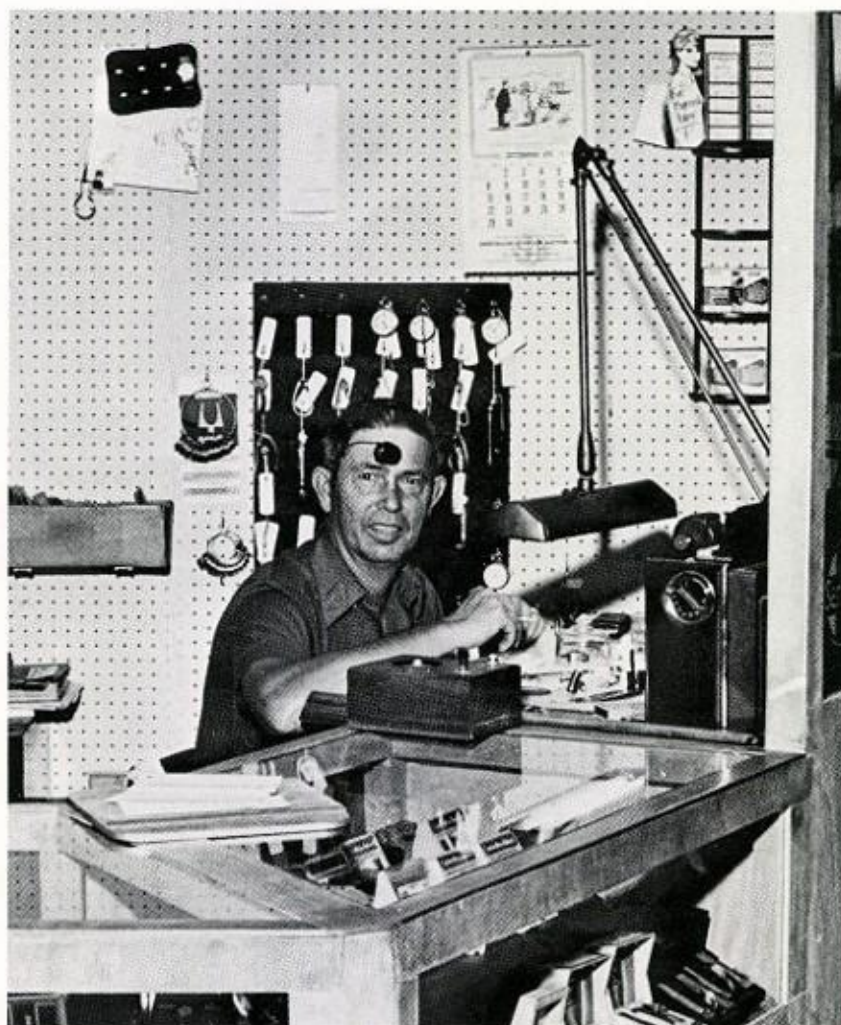
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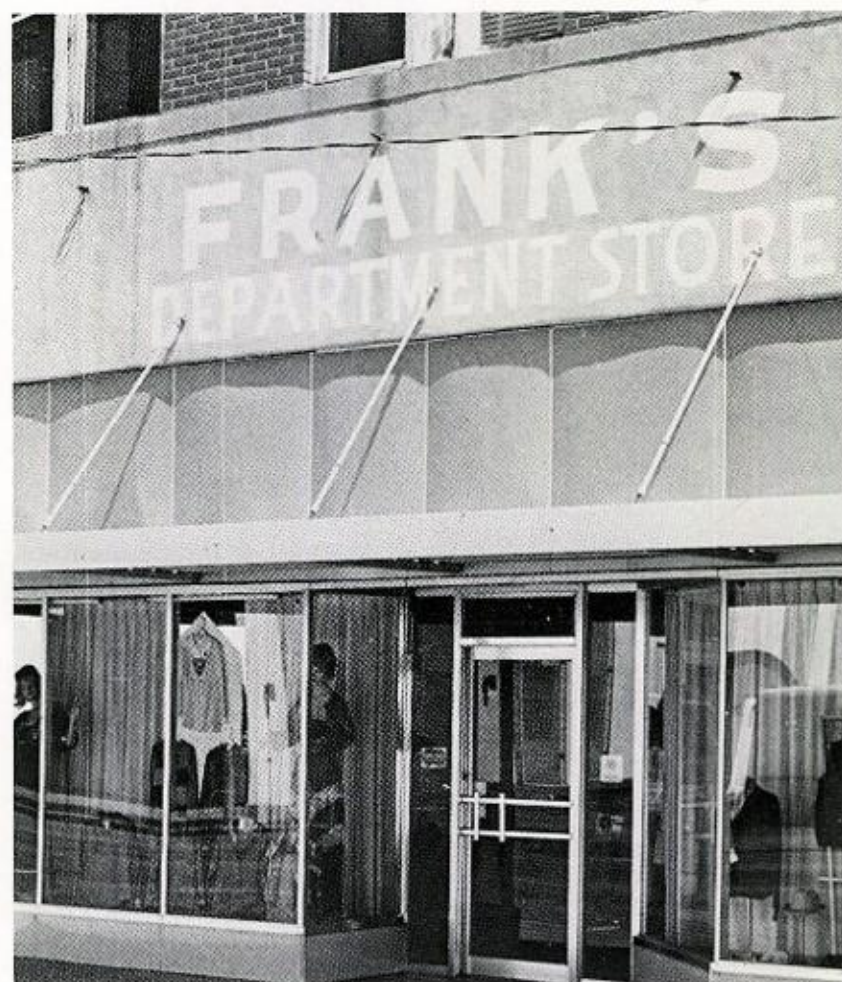


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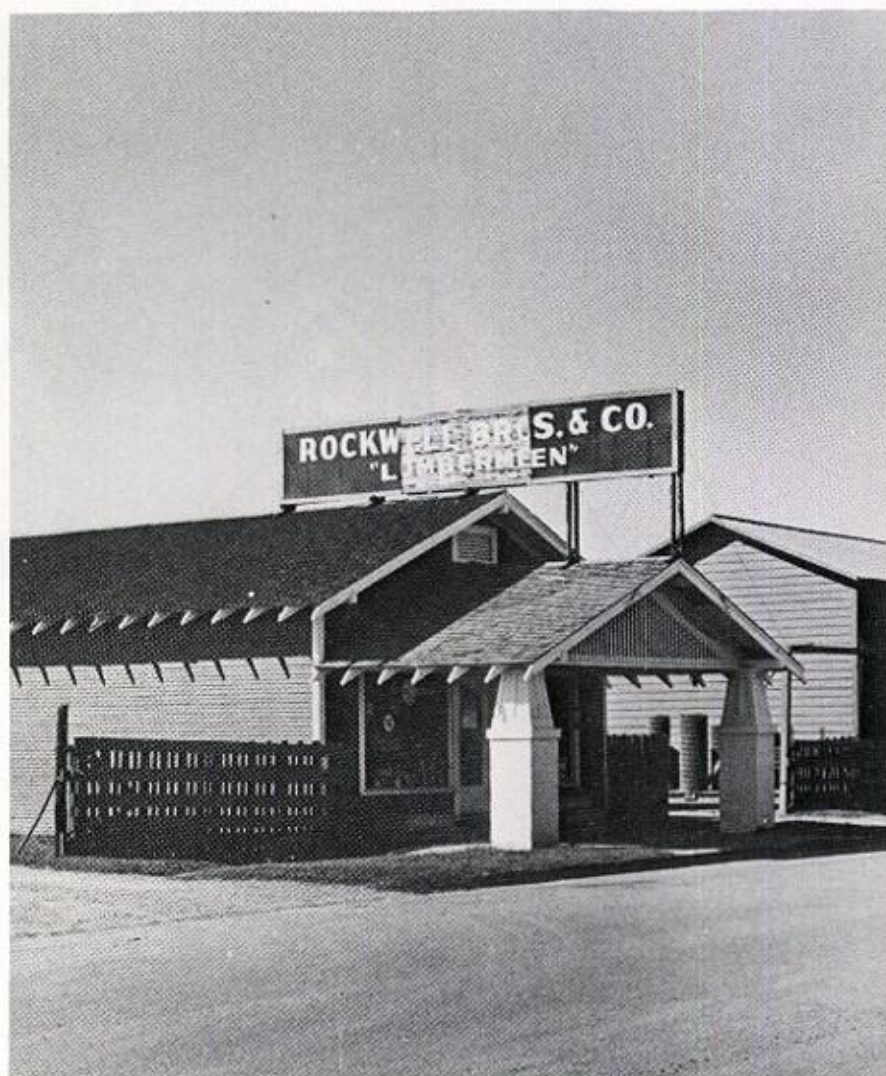


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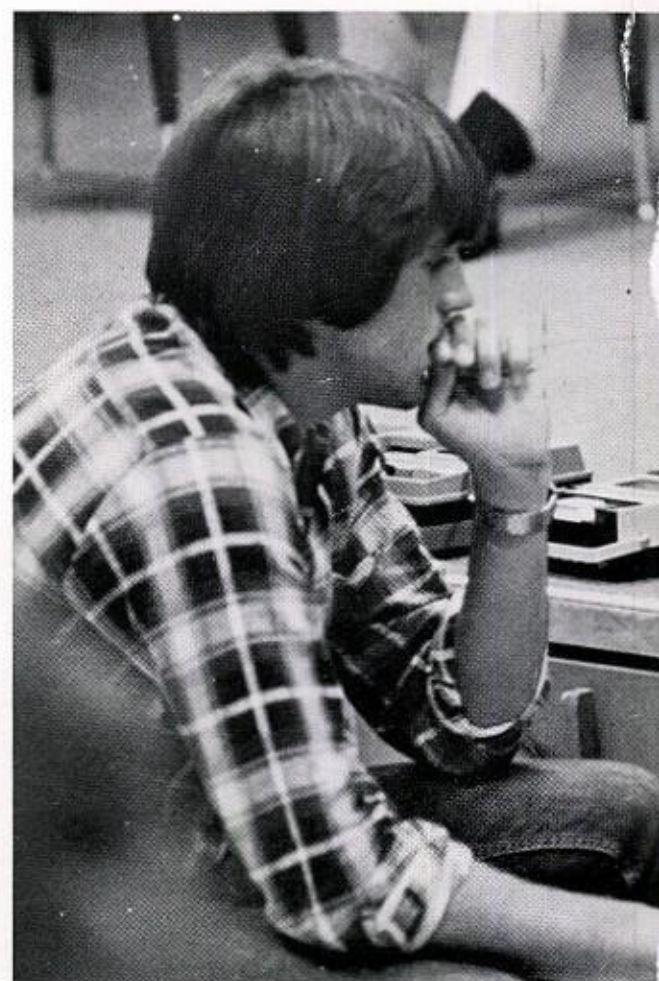


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